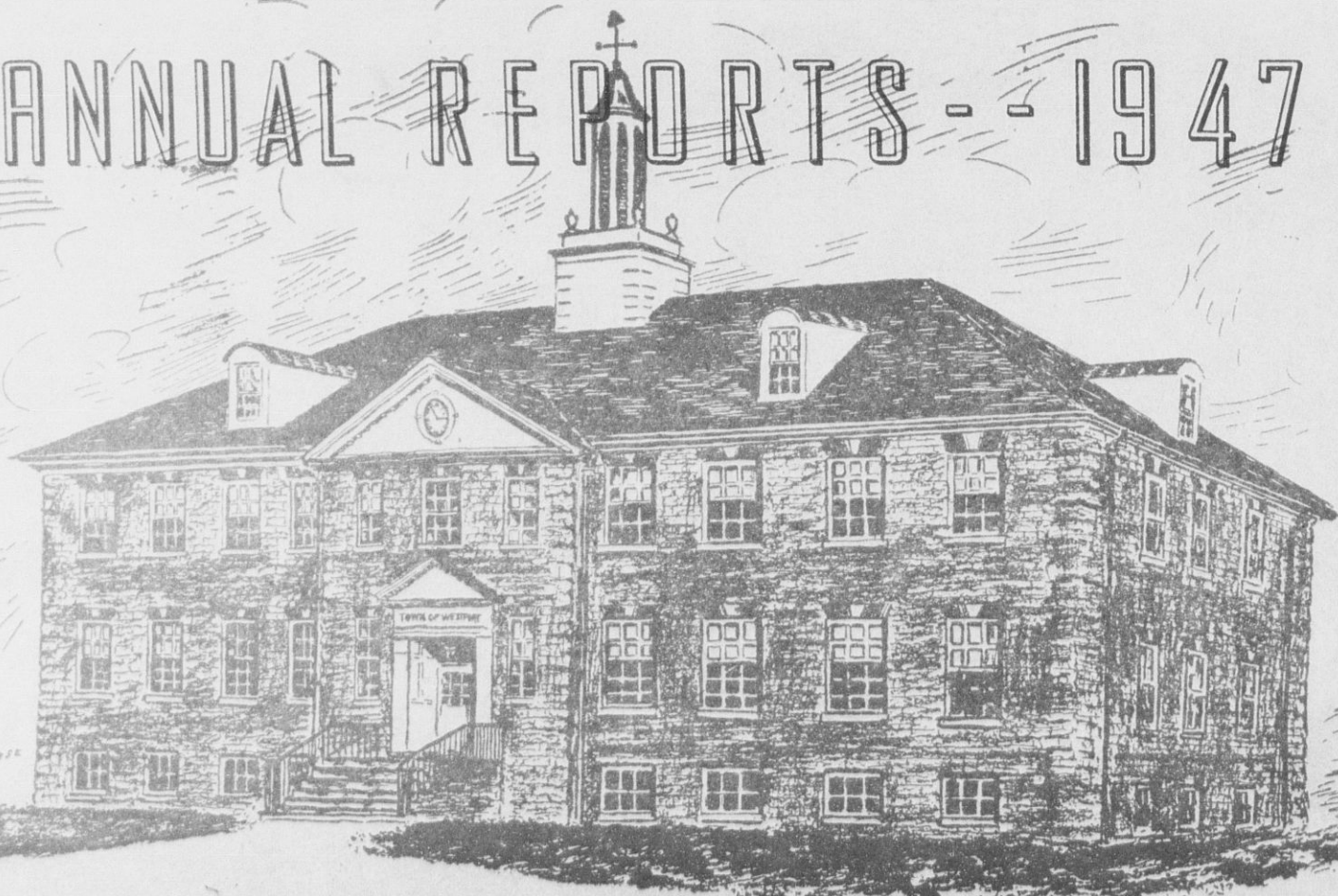


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TOWN OF WESTPORT, MASSACHUSETTS

Town of Westport

ANNUAL REPORTS

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BOARD OF SELECTMEN

and

OTHER BOARDS OF OFFICERS

Including a Statement of the Receipts and Expenditures
of the Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1947


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TOWN OFFICERS 1947

MODERATOR

John A. Smith	Term expires 1950
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TOWN CLERK

Edward L. Macomber	Term expires 1948
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TREASURER

Alexander Walsh	Term expires 1948
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COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Albert C. Wood	Term expires 1948
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SELECTMEN

John A. Smith	Term expires 1948
George W. Russell	Term expires 1949
Philip Manchester	Term expires 1950

ASSESSORS

J. Douglas Borden	Term expires 1948
Frank R. Slocum	Term expires 1949
Oscar H. Palmer	Term expires 1950

BOARD OF HEALTH

Charles R. Wood	Term expires 1948
Edward L. Macomber	Term expires 1949
Joseph W. Ferrebee	Term expires 1950

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Roby C. Burt	Term expires 1948
Russell B. Davis	Term expires 1949
Samuel A. Boan	Term expires 1950

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Philip Manchester	Term expires 1948
Roger M. Acheson	Term expires 1949
Brayton Morton	Term expires 1949
Frederick L. Tripp	Term expires 1950
C. Arnold Gifford	Term expires 1950

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Milton E. Earle

SINGLE HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

Elton C. Tripp Term expires 1948

TOWN ACCOUNTANT

Elmer B. Manchester, Jr. Term expires 1948

FISH COMMISSIONERS

Albert E. Lees Term expires 1948

William C. Tripp Term expires 1949

Andrew W. Sherman Term expires 1950

TRUSTEES OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Nason R. Macomber Term expires 1948

Abram J. Potter Term expires 1948

Elmer B. Manchester, Jr. Term expires 1949

Dorothy W. Smith Term expires 1949

Sydney G. Pierce Term expires 1950

Ruth V. Woodland Term expires 1950

CHIEF OF POLICE

Charles H. Dean

REGULAR POLICE OFFICERS

Joseph Cieto, Sergeant Norman B. Hopkinson

Albert Blais Roland M. Massey

RESERVE POLICE OFFICERS

James W. Hancock Clarence A. Lawton

Joseph H. Blair Joseph Smith

William Lekom, Jr. Frederick W. Palmer, Jr.

Melvin R. Wood Norman Forand

Gilbert A. Santos Manuel Martin, Jr.

CONSTABLES

Harry F. Sherman Walter L. Gifford

LANDING COMMISSIONERS

Samuel A. Boan Clifton A. Wood

Albert E. Lees George T. Leach, Sr.

Alexander Walsh (Treasurer)

TREE WARDEN

Alvin A. White

DRAW TENDER OF WESTPORT POINT BRIDGE

Albert E. Lees

SUPERINTENDENT OF BEECH GROVE CEMETERY

Walter A. Brightman

INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

Norman W. Kirby

VETERANS' SERVICE OFFICER

John L. Duffany

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS

Edward L. Macomber

(Town Clerk)

Leslie J. Tripp

Term expires 1948

Michael W. Coughlin

Term expires 1949

Herman L. Coggeshall

Term expires 1950

HARBOR MASTER

Frederick L. Tripp

FENCE VIEWERS

Arthur L. Lawton

William W. Howland

Edward Haskell

DOG OFFICER

Roland M. Massey

FIRE CHIEF

Stanley E. Gifford

FOREST WARDEN

Stanley E. Gifford

MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

Alvin A. White

SEALER IN WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Walter F. King

LIBRARIANS OF FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Mildred A. Brightman

Charles A. Brightman

JANITOR OF MUNICIPAL OFFICE BUILDING

Charles A. Brightman

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

BIRTHS

Registered in Westport for 1947

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Name of Parents Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 1	Claude A. Giroux	Paul A. and Jeannine (Ledoux)
Jan. 3	Michael Robert Young	Howard Whitfield and Ruth Marion (Chace)
Jan. 6	Janet A. Taylor	William and Ellen L. (Denton)
Jan. 11	David G. Ouellette	Omer P. and Irene I. (Oliver)
Jan. 13	Milton E. Mellor	Milton E. and Flora M. (Wilks)
Jan. 16	Richard N. Roy	Joseph V. and Helen (Gilchrest)
Jan. 27	Mark Raymond Sisson	Neal and Pauline (Merryman)
Jan. 28	Sandra A. Fournier	William E. and Lillian A. (Botelho)
Jan. 31	Charles J. Bouchard	Ernest and Lydia (Serudio)
Feb. 4	Gail F. Lash	Harold G. and Virginia E. (Zepp)
Feb. 8	Thomas Richard Soares	Manuel and Ruth Esther (Hartnett)
Feb. 10	Nancy C. Alves	Joseph and Mary (Grillo)
Feb. 13	----- Grillo	John T. and Irene (Miranda)
Feb. 14	Gerald L. Potter	Lynwood F. and Laurretta V. (Vanasee)
Feb. 22	Gordon Williston Taylor	Charles Williston and Marion (Booth)
Feb. 22	Joseh R. Dionne	Joseph R. and Margaret E. (Callery)
Feb. 27	Francis E. Audette	Aladin and Mary (Rapoza)
Feb. 28	Henry Bettencourt Sylvia	John B. and Agnes (Pacheco)
Mar. 1	Helen R. Ferry	Manuel and Mary (Costa)
Mar. 9	Brenda M. Souza	Manuel and Mary (Mendoza)
Mar. 10	Malcolm Irving Heyworth	William and Dorothy Bernice (Smeaton)
Mar. 11	Thomas L. Beaudoin	Roland A. and Aurore L. (Massey)

Mar. 12	Mary L. Pettey	Herbert L. and Gladys M. (Comstock)
Mar. 12	Donald Allen Dwelly	Clifton Emerson and Margaret Esther (Armstrong)
Mar. 14	Mary L. Pettey	Robert L. and Gladys E. (Gray)
Mar. 14	George H. Letendre	George E. and Irene D. (Valcourt)
Apr. 3	John F. Janelle	Alfred C. and Gladys M. (Little)
Apr. 9	Marguerite E. Parrish	George J. and Juliette (Sasso)
Apr. 12	Carol A. Azevedo	Manuel P. and Irene (Cardoza)
Apr. 13	Pamela M. Lawrenson	Frederick M. and Thelma G. (Nickerson)
Apr. 16	Eileen D. Chabot	Elzear L. and Diana (Belisle)
Apr. 18	Nancy J. Fuirness	Francis S. and Hope E. (Rich)
Apr. 21	Viviane J. Parent	Robert and Juliette C. (Menard)
Apr. 22	Paul Leroy Rusin	Michael Frank and Elizabeth Donald (Pettey)
Apr. 23	Jane E. Tripp	Howard S. and Barbara E. (Manchester)
Apr. 25	Alan Machado	John A. and Marguerite H. (Viera)
Apr. 27	Jane E. Palmer	Frederick W. and Rose E. (Park)
May 1	Ruth S. Briggs	Clarence C. and Gertrude M. (Perry)
May 10	Michael Perry	Seraphine C. and Mary L. (Pontes)
May 12	Ann Marie Oliver	Frank and Belmira (Mederos)
May 13	Wayne P. Columbia	Charles F. and Betty P. (Littlehole)
May 13	Patricia A. Liuz	John C. and Isabel (Grillo)
May 13	Lillian Frances Albanese	Robert and Eileen (Whittle)
May 15	Steven Bruce Griffin	Charles Leroy and Millicent Myrtle (Magrath)
May 18	Pauline F. Sampson	Walter J. and Rita A. (Martel)
May 23	Joan E. Simon	Philip and Lois H. (Pettey)
May 4	James W. Pierce	James W. and Virginia (Crapo)
May 25	Nancy M. Mederos	Antonio J. and Mary (Costa)
May 27	Douglas L. Field	Donald S. and Janice (Carr)

May 29	William D. Tripp	David C. and Alice L. (Nicholson)
May 29	Robert William Jeffrey	Robert William and Grace Elizabeth (Allen)
May 29	Dana J. Brayton	Frank and Miriam (Cook)
June 11	Jane Bayard Tuckerman	Bayard and Millicent (Ewell)
June 13	Robert G. Choquette	Rene L. and Doris L. (Lassonde)
June 17	Cynthia Louise Norman	Westell George and Evelyn Mae (Gifford)
June 18	Roger Desmarais	Albert Jos. and Imelda (Bastille)
June 20	Dennis Woodcock	Clarence and Margaret (Winters)
June 22	James Edward Tatro	Lawrence Raymond and Mary Ann (Jeffries)
June 24	Robert R. Hawes	Richard K. and Anne (Rogers)
June 29	Jonathan Hicks Potter	Jonathan Hicks and Gladys (Pierce)
June 30	Mary J. Campbell	Joseph A. and Dora M. (Farland)
July 7	Frederick Harry Reed	Fardner Winston and Hazel G. (Morrison)
July 10	Gerald Couto	Joseph and Evelyn (Souza)
July 14	Michael P. Silvia	Paul M. and Edith M. (Webb)
July 15	Robert William Pierce	William Charles and Edna Mae (Slocum)
July 20	Carol Ann Hart	Willard Herman and Dorothy (Silva)
July 29	Dennis Stanley Crapo	Alden Stanley and Alice Marie (Watts)
Aug. 7	Winsor Melvin Tripp, Jr.	Winsor Melvin and Beatrice I. (Demers)
Aug. 8	George Alfred Guilmette	George A. and Dorothy M. (Silvia)
Aug. 10	Thomas Earl Wilcox	Rexford Leslie and Fernley Dawn (Chace)
Aug. 11	Shirley A. Dame	Harold L. and Edna A. (Heath)
Aug. 12	Kenneth E. Borden	Edwin S. and Rose A. (Vanasse)
Aug. 15	Jack R. Malloch	Ralph L. and Edith H. (Wheaton)
Aug. 20	Roger Watts	Philip and Claire T. (Cote)
Aug. 23	Gareth D. Wheelus	Clee O. and Marion K. (Reed)
Aug. 28	David Mederios	Joseph V. and Lucy R. (Silva)

Aug. 29	Edith L. Hancock	Samuel A. and Maybelle L. (Poole)
Aug. 30	Stillborn	
Aug. 30	Katherine Souza	Francisco R. and Beatrice C. (Rego)
Aug. 31	Toni A. Rosinha	Antone C. and Margaret (Charrette)
Sept. 4	Eleanor L. Wood	Randall P. and Nellie R. (Wilson)
Sept. 8	Joseph Travers	Joseph and Edith (Desjardins)
Sept. 10	Jeffrey D. Tripp	Frederick D. and Dorothy S. (Davis)
Sept. 21	Steven M. Mathias	Frank A. and Mary (Almeida)
Sept. 24	Sandra Lee Lake	Ernest Gardner and Doris Loretta (Costa)
Sept. 27	Nancy Louise Manchester	James Sowle and Virginia A. (Fredrickson)
Oct. 2	Elaine Rodriques	Zulmero and Ermelinda (Barbosa)
Oct. 10	Dale Morse	Nathaniel S. and Violet H. (Stevens)
Oct. 11	Nancy Fisher	Elliott Cornell and Faith (Bennett)
Oct. 13	James William Fonseca	James A. and Elizabeth A. (Armstrong)
Oct. 14	Linda Jane Gomes	James C. and Lillian (Carvalho)
Oct. 18	George Wayne Destremps	Victor R. and Lydia (Linek)
Oct. 19	———— Manchester	George Jr. and Lillian (Pontbriand)
Oct. 26	Jannine Lapointe	Homer G. and Juliette C. (Lapointe)
Oct. 27	Neil Edwin Tripp	Edwin Everett and Dorothy May (Searles)
Nov. 1	Susan Pineau	Alfred E. and Marion G. (Borden)
Nov. 8	Paul Vasconcellos	David M. and Irene P. (Farias)
Nov. 10	———— Medeiros	John and Rita (Castilloux)
Nov. 13	———— Connors	James and Beatrice (Costa)
Nov. 21	Joy Caroline Helen Costa	Gilbert and Alice F. (Doherty)
Nov. 30	John Pettengill Davis	John and Catherine (Pettengill)
Dec. 4	Mary Katherine Zier	Vernon E. and Mary V. (Azevedo)
Dec. 6	Gail Platt	Albert and Dorothy (Manchester)
Dec. 11	Mary Louise Kirkwood	George and Dorothy Calista (Handy)

Dec. 13	Gay Cabrini Gemme	William P. and Georgianna (Almeida)
Dec. 14	William Henry Cabral	Joseph and Shirley (Tripp)
Dec. 18	Ernest Pariseau	Joseph Julian and Pauline (Beaulieu)
Dec. 20	John David White	James B. and Frances (Sheehan)
Dec. 27	William Thomas Long	William Thomas and Mary (Gwozdz)

DEATHS

Registered in Westport for 1947

Date 1947	Name of Deceased	Age		
		Yr.	Mo.	D.
Jan. 6	John S. Ponte, Jr.	39	6	21
Jan. 15	Susie F. Kent	84	4	2
Jan. 23	Thomas A. Pettey	87	2	0
Jan. 31	John L. Rapoza	58	.....	.....
Feb. 6	Cedia Barnaby	57	1	1
Feb. 11	Edward B. Haskell	74	11	8
Feb. 27	Antonio N. Roy	48	6	.....
Mar. 1	Mary Greenhalgh	89	0	5
Mar. 13	Frank Andrade	67	0	0
Mar. 21	George Brownell	77	3	10
Mar. 22	Carolina Amaral	65	0	4
Mar. 22	Sophia Cambra	52	4	11
Mar. 30	Jackson Butterworth	79	.....	18
Apr. 1	Joaquin S. Adao	61	0	7
Apr. 3	Joseph T. Furtado	74	8	29
Apr. 5	Stillborn	.....	.....	.....
Apr. 21	Mary A. McGee	86	.....	.....
Apr. 25	George F. Dean	41	2	21
May 13	Sarah Richardson	81	3	11
May 22	Emile Plante	70	1	2
May 25	Maria A. Crapo	62	3	13
May 26	Elbert R. Brownell	70	10	11
May 30	John F. Callery	77	4	29
May 31	Marie L. Ouellette	50	10	1
May 31	John D. Rebello	60	.....	.....
June 10	Alvin G. Baker	76	9	28
June 21	Mary P. Almeida	57	.....	.....
June 21	Marie H. Blais	72	10	14
June 24	Stillborn	.....	.....	.....
June 24	Mary H. Adao	64	1	25

June	25	George A. Roy	74	.....	.....
June	29	Edmund F. Thornlimb	40	7	24
July	1	Albert J. Courtney	65	11	17
July	2	Joseph Singleton	65	10	15
July	3	Lydia M. Chace	73	9	14
July	6	Alton I. Macomber	57	6	19
July	10	Manuel C. Carvalho	54	.....	.....
July	19	Nason R. Macomber	76	3	29
July	23	May K. Gifford	80	9	6
July	27	Mary A. Ratcliffe	87	0	27
July	27	Ruth H. Butler	33	6	9
Aug.	3	William H. Perry	77	.....	.....
Aug.	15	Alexander R. Smith	48	3	23
Aug.	21	Herbert M. Tripp, Sr.	60	11	17
Aug.	22	Clara W. Roessel	56	11	20
Aug.	30	Stillborn	.....	.....	.....
Sept.	2	Sarah G. Lawrence	91	4	1
Sept.	5	Alfred Brown	59	7	30
Sept.	8	Nancy Sharples	71	3	22
Sept.	11	Frederic A. Wood	78	10	15
Sept.	18	Clifford W. Ashley	65	9	0
Sept.	20	Maria E. daSilva	75	10	24
Oct.	27	Matthew V. Reis	77	11	16
Nov.	2	Israel M. Hall	49	2	27
Nov.	9	Ida R. Duffany	70	0	5
Nov.	18	Carleton W. Tripp	37	7	4
Nov.	27	Mary I. Souza	66	4	12
Dec.	7	Joseph F. Alves	21	.....	.....
Dec.	14	Joseph W. Johnson	64	3	26
Dec.	20	Timothy F. O'Brien	61	0	29
Dec.	22	Anna B. Pimental	76	.....	.....
Dec.	26	Thomas F. Sanford	95	.....	.....
Dec.	28	Gary A. Caswell	.....	2	.....

MARRIAGES

Registered in Westport for 1947

- Jan. 1, At Westport, Silas A. Sampson of Westport and Catherine M. Bouchard of Fall River, by Rev. Richard L. Bailey, Minister of the Gospel.
- Jan. 4, At Dartmouth, Americo Moniz of Fall River and Mary Cabral of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Jan. 25, At Fall River, John J. Silva and Thomasinha Farias both of Westport, by M. S. Travassos, R. C. Priest.
- Jan. 27, At Providence, R. I., Armand Richard Michaud of Westport and Anna Giuseppina DelPrete of Providence, R. I., by Rev. John J. Tully, Catholic Priest.
- Jan. 31, At Westport, Joseph Cestodio of Fall River and Doris M. St. Onge of Westport by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Feb. 8, At Waltham, Mass. John Bowers of Westport and Claire L. McKenney of Lynn, Mass., by Chaplain Robert J. Hearn, Priest.
- Feb. 14, At Westport, Vernon E. Zier of Washington D. C. and Mary V. Azevedo of Westport by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- Feb. 15, At Westport, Manuel G. Gouveia of New Bedford and Emma L. Simmons of Westport by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Feb. 15, At Westport, Frank G. Costa of New Bedford and Palmira M. Barboza of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.

- Feb. 15, At New Bedford, John P. Souza of Westport and Dorothy Souza of Dartmouth, by Linden Harris White, Rector.
- Feb. 15, At New Bedford, Manuel H. Rose of Westport and Fernanda A. Duarte of New Bedford, by Chas. S. Thurber, Clergyman.
- Mar. 8, At Providence, R. I., Leonard Devoll LeValley of Westport and Elizabeth King Pentz of Providence, R. I., by Robert H. Schacht, Jr., Clergyman.
- Mar. 15, At Pawtucket, R. I., Albert James Bolton of Westport and Ruth Francis Coe of Raynham, by Richard K. Morton, Clergyman.
- Mar. 18, At Westport, Richard Eugene Sherman of New Bedford and Marjorie Eleanor Lannan of Fairhaven, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Mar. 29, At Westport, Harold A. Caswell of Westport and Charlotte B. Karl of Fairhaven, by Rev. Harold L. Dame, Minister of the Gospel.
- Apr. 12, At Fall River, Roland Joseph Masson of Westport and Alice Rita Pouliot of Fall River, by S. J. Goyette, Priest.
- Apr. 12, At Fall River, Frank W. Broadbent of Westport and Ruth E. Dorley of Fall River, by Gilbert K. Hill, Clergyman.
- Apr. 19, At Westport, Arthur L. Carignan of Fall River and Bernadette T. Deschene of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- Apr. 19, At Westport, Walter J. Arel of Fall River and Lillian E. Arruda of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.

- Apr. 19, At Dartmouth, Ludger Lussier of Fall River and Doris Y. Michaud of Westport, by Thomas M. Landay, Priest.
- Apr. 26, At Westport, Calvin C. Hopkinson and Dorothy L. King, both of Westport, by Harold L. Dame, Minister of the Gospel.
- May 3, At Fall River, Lionel A. Mailloux of Fall River and Shirley G. Bowers of Westport, by Rev. Roland J. Masse, R. C. Priest.
- May 10, At Fall River, Edward T. Gancarski of Westport and Wanda H. Gardula of Fall River, by Rev. Loman P. Jasinski, Priest.
- May 10, At Somerset, Donald H. Gray of Westport and Janice E. Lockhart of Somerset, by William G. Sargent, Minister of the Gospel.
- May 10, At Westport, Westell G. Norman and Evelyn M. Gifford, both of Westport, by Edw. L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- May 17, At Fall River, William H. Vincent of Westport and Cecile M. Emond, of Fall River, by Rev. J. Omer Lussier, Priest.
- May 17, At Dartmouth, Eugene A. Boucher of Fall River and Marguerite M. Desrosiers of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- May 17, At Westport, Robert Weeks Ferguson, Jr., of St. Mary's Georgia and Barbara Browne Boyden of Cambridge, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- May 24, At Fall River, John B. Souza of Westport and Theresa B. Dozois of Fall River, by Rev. J. Omer Lussier, Priest.

- May 26, At Westport, Joseph Souza of Fall River and Alice Oliveira, of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- May 31, At Westport, Robert Schofield and Ethelyn Payson both of Dartmouth, by Harold L. Dame, Minister of the Gospel.
- June 2, At Westport, Manuel Cabral of Bristol, R. I., and Constance (Medeiros) Baillargeon of Worcester, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- June 7, At Westport, David C. Martin of Westport and Ellen M. Potter of Tiverton, R. I., by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- June 7, At Dartmouth, Antone B. Pacheco of Fall River and Hilda R. Nicolau of Westport, by Rev. Maurice H. Lamontagne, Priest.
- June 14, At Westport, Irwin H. Hawkins and Phyllis V. Shippee, both of Scituate, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- June 14, At Westport, Albert Gagne of Westport and Dorothy Lee of Fall River, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- June 14, At Fall River, Ralph L. Miller, of Hanover, Penn. and Anita Rioux of Westport, by Emile F. Bergeron, Justice of the Peace.
- June 14, At Fall River, George Cardoza of Westport and Lillian Medeiros of Fall River, by Rev. A. C. dos Reis, Priest.
- June 16, At Fall River, Louis V. Oliveira of Westport and Alice Estrella of Fall River, by Rev. Felix G. Davis, Minister of the Gospel.

- June 17. At Fall River, George M. Carvalho of Fall River and Norma S. Rounds of Westport, by Manuel S. Travassos, R. C. Priest.
- June 21. At Westport, Dana Reed and Zola G. Kirby, both of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk, assisted by Rev. Wilbur Nelson.
- June 23. At Westport, Edwin Earl Nicholson and Vilena Sampson White, both of Westport, by Rev. Richard L. Bailey, Minister of the Gospel.
- June 28. At New Bedford, Henry L. Seppala of New Bedford and Marie Cecile Bruneau of Westport, by Rev. Henry R. Canuel, Priest.
- June 28. At Dartmouth, Albert O. Boyer of Fall River and Jeannette C. Masson of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- June 28. At Fall River, Everett T. Pettey of Westport and Marion C. Colby of Littleton, N. H., by Thomas R. Burns, Minister of the Gospel.
- June 28. At Westport, Joseph A. Pelletier of Fall River and Lorraine Deschene, of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- June 28. At Fall River, George L. St. Martin of Westport and Mary Raposa of Fall River, by Joseph M. Silvia, Priest.
- June 28. At Fall River, Lawrence Rezendes, of Fall River and Bertha Ramos of Westport, by M. S. Travassos, R. C. Priest.
- July 19. At Westport, Herbert F. Sellers and Amelia T. Sekonda, both of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.

- July 21, At Westport, Wilfred L. Menard of Fall River and Jacqueline Ancil of Westport, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- July 27, At Fall River, Donald Cree of New Bedford and Barbara M. Carter of Westport, by Melville E. Osborne, Clergyman.
- Aug. 2, At Fall River, Alfred P. Azevedo of Westport and Mary A. Margaletta of Fall River, by John Chippendale, Priest.
- Aug. 9, At Dartmouth, Albert T. Cabral and Doris L. Masson, both of Westport, by Rev. Maurice H. Lamontagne, Priest.
- Aug. 9, At Westport, Herbert A. Clark of Beverly and Ruth M. Davis of Westport, by John W. Johanna-ber, Clergyman.
- Aug. 16, At Westport, James F. Jones of Tiverton, R. I., and Adelaide E. Carvalho of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- Aug. 16, At Fall River, Henry W. Gaudreau of Westport and Doris E. Brabant of Fall River, by Rev. J. Omer Lussier, Priest.
- Aug. 20, At Fall River, James E. Taylor of Swansea and Ruth J. White of Westport, by Edwin W. Grilley, Jr., Episcopal Priest.
- Aug. 23, At Dartmouth, Albert A. Bouchard of Fall River and Ruth H. Perron of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Sept. 1, At New Bedford, Manuel R. Nicolau of Westport and Dorothy Sylvia of New Bedford, by Antonio P. Vieira, R. C. Priest.
- Sept. 1, At Dartmouth, Roland O. Lepage and Juliette Blanchette, both of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.

- Sept. 6, At Dartmouth, Joseph W. Froment of Fall River and Olive C. Castilloux of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Sept. 8, At Westport, Manuel S. Ferreira, of Fall River and Georgina Medeiros of Fall River, by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Sept. 13, At Westport, Raymond E. Grundy of Westport and Delores J. Fritze of Dartmouth, by Harold L. Dame, Minister of the Gospel.
- Sept. 20, At Fall River, Charles H. Simpson, Jr., of Fall River and Faith A. Bowers of Westport, by Edwin W. Grilley, Jr., Parish Priest.
- Sept. 20, At Westport, Louis R. Fernandes of Westport and Florence S. Sexton of Fall River, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Oct. 11, At New Bedford, Arthur L. Shorey of Westport and Kathleen Connick of New Bedford, by Thomas F. McNulty, Priest.
- Oct. 18, At Smithfield, R. I., George Howard Adao of Westport and Ruth Edna Smith of Greenville, R. I., by Arthur B. Mercer, Baptist Clergyman.
- Oct. 20, At Providence, R. I., Rene Joseph Lamontagne of Westport and Myrna Delores Chase of New Bedford, by Mortimer Sullivan, Associate Justice Superior Court.
- Nov. 2, At Yarmouth, Manuel Carreiro, Jr., and Barbara A. Tripp, both of Westport, by John A. Stevens, Clergyman.
- Nov. 11, At Somerset, Alfred V. Medeiros of Westport and Mary Patricia Silvia of Somerset, by John A. Silvia, Priest.

- Nov. 15. At Westport, David C. Rozinha and Rita M. Lowles, both of Westport, by Edward B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- Nov. 20. At Westport, Harold E. Riley, Sr., and Madeline L. Phillips, both of Newport, R. I., by Edward L. Macomber, Justice of the Peace and Town Clerk.
- Nov. 22. At Westport, Manuel T. Cabral and Lenora M. Rezendes, both of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- Nov. 25. At Little Compton, R. I., Philip Thomas Chase of Little Compton and Ella May Sanford of Westport, by James D. Dingwell, Clergyman.
- Nov. 27. At Westport, Joseph Viveiros of Fall River and Hilda Couto of Westport, by Edw. B. Booth, R. C. Priest.
- Nov. 27. At Dartmouth, John A. Lachance and Irene M. Souza, both of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Nov. 27. At Fall River, Robert Berube of Westport and Rita Bartlett of Fall River, by Lucien A. Larioll, Priest.
- Nov. 29. At Westport, Malcolm I. Smeaton and Audrey V. Abeel, both of Westport, by Rev. Alphonse E. Gauthier, Priest.
- Dec. 17. At Westport, Frank H. Boardman, Jr., and Edith M. Lockinger, both of Tiverton, R. I., by John W. Johannaber, Minister.
- Dec. 31. At New Bedford, James E. Vaughn, Jr., of Westport and Hettie A. Thompson of New Bedford, by Rev. Gerald M. Kendall, Clergyman.

LICENSES

Hunting, Trapping and Fishing Licenses were issued as follows during the past year:

Resident Fishing	26
Resident Hunting	155
Resident Sporting	26
Women's and Minor's Fishing	2
Resident Trapping	5
Non-resident Hunting	7
Duplicate	1
Resident Sporting (Free)	15
Resident Military or Naval Sporting (Free)	2

DOG LICENSES

From January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1947

423 Males at \$2.00	\$846.00
63 Females at \$5.00	315.00
63 Spayed Females at \$2.00	126.00
2 Military (Free)	
1 Kennel license at \$50.00	50.00
3 Kennel licenses at \$25.00	75.00
12 Kennel licenses at \$10.00	120.00
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Total	\$1,532.00
Clerk's fees	113.40
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Amount paid Town Treasurer	\$1,418.60

Respectively submitted,

EDWARD L. MACOMBER,

Town Clerk.

LANDING COMMISSIONER'S REPORT

The Board organized in March 1947 with Clifton A. Wood Chairman and George T. Leach, Clerk.

The Treasurer's report will show the receipts and payments during the past year.

CLIFTON A. WOOD

GEORGE T. LEACH

SAMUEL A. BOAN

ALBERT E. LEES

Landing Commissioners

CASH

Balance, January 1, 1947	\$321.49	
Received from leases and interest on deposits	529.26	
	-----	\$850.75
Balances — December 31, 1947:		
Horseneck Beach Landing	\$105.90	
Horseneck Point Landing	34.86	
Head Landing	37.39	
Hix Bridge Landing	367.35	
Westport Point Landing	6.85	
	-----	\$552.35
Expenditures, 1947:		
Head Landing	\$ 63.00	
Westport Point Landing	235.40	
	-----	\$850.75

ALEXANDER WALSH,

Treasurer, Landing Commissioners

Examined and approved,

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,

Town Accountant.

SHELLFISH CONSTABLE'S REPORT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
John A. Smith, Chairman,
Westport, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit my report as Shellfish Constable for the year 1947. All persons taking shellfish from the waters and flats of Westport River were checked by me. 281 were found to be non-residents.

I would like to suggest that a charge be made for family permits and an appropriation for seed be made at the annual town meeting.

The following amount of seed has been planted in the two branches of the Westport River:

105 bushels oysters
61½ bushels clams
25 bushels quahogs

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. HART,
Shellfish Constable.

REPORT OF BOARD OF SELECTMEN

The Board of Selectmen respectfully submit the following report from their records of the past year. The Board organized March 15, 1947 with John A. Smith, Chairman, Philip Manchester, Clerk and George W. Russell.

APPOINTMENTS

Were made as follows, viz:

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Walter F. King, Registrar of Voters, Herman L. Coggeshall; Chief of Police, Charles H. Dean; Chief of Fire Department, Stanley E. Gifford; Inspector of Animals, Norman W. Kirby; Forest Warden, Stanley E. Gifford; Fence Viewers, Joseph Cieto, Stephen R. Howland and James Hancock; Dog Officer, Roland M. Massey; Inspector of Buildings, J. Henry Hanson; Superintendent of Beech Grove Cemetery, Walter A. Brightman; Burial Agent, Kenneth A. Potter; Veterans' Services Officer, John L. Duffany; Surveyor of Lumber and Measurer of Wood and Bark, Elbridge B. Wordell; Moth Superintendent, Alvin A. White; Janitor of Municipal Office Building, Charles A. Brightman; Permanent Men at Fire Station, David C. Tripp and Gilbert A. Santos; Graves Registration Officer, John Lekom; Town Counsel, Richard K. Hawes; Harbor Master, Frederick L. Tripp.

AUCTIONEERS' LICENSES

Were granted to Frank R. Slocum, John F. MacDonald and Harry T. Morrison.

JUNK COLLECTORS' LICENSES

Were granted to James E. Feeley, Manuel Viveiros and Barney Belford.

SLAUGHTERHOUSE LICENSES

Were granted to David Kavolsky, John F. MacDonald,

Isaac Tripp, Sr., Harold S. Wood, Alton K. Wood and Isaac Tripp, Jr.

BONDS

During the year the Board has approved the following bonds, viz: Edward L. Macomber, Town Clerk, \$1,000; Albert C. Wood, Collector of Taxes, \$32,000, and Alexander Walsh, Treasurer, \$32,700.

LIQUOR LICENSES

Licenses for the sale of Wines and Malt Beverages were granted to George F. Kent; Ali Abedin, Michael George d/b/a Sonny's Cafe.

Licenses to sell all kinds of alcoholic beverages were granted to Laura Allen, Hi-Way Casino, Ruth's Inc.

Seasonal Licenses to sell all kinds of alcoholic beverages were granted to Stacia Jerzik; Henry E. Plante; Kostas Saliveros; Michael George d/b/a "Sonny's Cafe" and George F. Kent.

Club licenses to sell all kinds of alcoholic beverages were granted to Fireside Club, Inc., and Watuppa Owl Club, Inc.

Club license to sell wines and malt beverages was granted to Acoaxet Club.

Package Goods licenses to sell all alcoholic beverages were granted to Westport Package Store, Inc., and Watuppa Package Store, Inc.

Package Goods licenses to sell wines and malt beverages were granted to Congo, Inc., and Philip Barnaby, Jr.

Seasonal Package Goods license to sell all alcoholic beverages was granted to John Swartz.

JOHN A. SMITH,
PHILIP MANCHESTER,
GEORGE W. RUSSELL,

Selectmen of Westport.

LIST OF JURORS

<i>Name</i>	<i>Occupation</i>	<i>Residence</i>
Amaral, Manuel Jr.	Farmer	No. Westport
Arsenault, Lionel J.	Secondhand	No. Westport
Austin, Forrest E.	Laborer	So. Westport
Bernier, Odilon	Weaver	No. Westport
Boan, Samuel A.	Farmer	So. Westport
Branch, Herbert C.	Caretaker	Acoaxet
Brayton, Frank E.	Garageman	Acoaxet
Brooder, John W.	Millworker	No. Westport
Chichester, Leroy W.	Farmer	So. Westport
Dwelly, Clifton E.	Retired	Westport
Dube, Charles R.	Millhand	No. Westport
Feio, Antone A.	Mechanic	Central Village
Gamache, Alfred	Millhand	No. Westport
Gifford, C. Arnold	Salesman	Central Village
Gifford, David E.	Laborer	Westport
Gifford, Harold B.	Retired	Westport
Gillett, John A.	Millhand	No. Westport
Hadfield, Raymond W.	Carpenter	So. Westport
Harrop, Frank E.	Retired	Westport
Howland, George H.	Farmer	Central Village
Kirby, Harry S.	Laborer	So. Westport
Kratzsch, Paul	Retired	Central Village
Lawrenson, Ernest	Carpenter	Westport
Margarida, Lionel S.	Millhand	No. Westport
Meador, Daniel E.	Farmer	Acoaxet
Messier, Edward A.	Carpenter	Central Village
Mullen, Charles H.	Overseer	No. Westport
Palmer, Oscar H.	Farmer	Central Village
Raposa, James L.	Farmer	So. Westport
Robinson, Herbert	Poultryman	No. Westport
Rounds, Norman K.	Carpenter	No. Westport
Sampson, Henry J.	Farmer	No. Westport
Schelter, Henry R.	Farmer	Westport

Simmons, Malcolm W.	Carpenter	No. Westport
Slocum, Frank R.	Insurance Agent	So. Westport
Smith, Alexander R.	Farmer	So. Westport
Smith, Lauchlan A.	Farmer	So. Westport
Stephenson, James M.	Poultryman	Central Village
Stowell, Frederick E.	Millhand	Westport
Szaro, Joseph L.	Millhand	Westport
Tripp, Granville A.	Fisherman	No. Westport
Tripp, Percy L.	Laborer	Westport
Tripp, Russell E.	Farmer	So. Westport
Waite, Norman A.	Florist	So. Westport
White, John F.	Millhand	No. Westport
Wood, Clinton E.	Laborer	No. Westport
Wood, Elbridge E.	Carpenter	No. Westport
Woodland, Percy A.	Grocer	So. Westport

JOHN A. SMITH,

PHILIP MANCHESTER,

GEORGE W. RUSSELL,

Selectmen of Westport.

LIST OF JURORS DRAWN DURING THE PAST YEAR

William H. Heap, John H. Davis, Alston J. Potter,
Arthur V. Tripp, Norman A. Waite, Granville A. Tripp,
Leroy W. Chichester, James M. Stephenson and Joseph
L. Szaro.

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

January 2, 1948

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Westport, Mass.

Mr. John Smith, Chairman,

I hereby submit my report as Building Inspector from January 1st to December 31, 1947. There were 218 permits issued for the year 1947.

Owners' appraisals as given, when reasonable:

46 New Houses	\$151,250
30 Summer Houses	49,225
73 Alterations on Houses and other Buildings	40,925
29 Garages	13,450
32 Barns, Hen Houses and other small buildings	19,585
8 Commercial Buildings	85,800
Total	<hr/> \$360,235
Fee's turned into Treasurer	\$447.00

Respectfully yours,

J. HENRY HANSON, JR.,
Building Inspector

BOARD OF GOVERNMENT

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY

The undersigned respectfully submit the following report as required by Article 1 of the By-Laws. Edward L. Macomber was authorized to sell lots in said cemetery and write deeds for the same.

JOHN A. SMITH,

PHILIP MANCHESTER,

GEORGE W. RUSSELL,

Selectmen of Westport.

ASSESSOR'S REPORT

The Board of Assessors respectfully submit the following report for the year ending December 31, 1947. Organized with J. Douglas Borden, Chairman, Frank R. Slocum, Secretary and Oscar H. Palmer.

STATEMENT OF TAXATION

Total amount of appropriations	\$323,998.31	
Total appropriations voted from available funds:		
Since 1946 tax rate was fixed	27,735.05	
In 1947	28,590.67	
	-----	\$380,324.03
State Tax	\$4,750.00	
State Parks and Reservations	320.47	
State Audit Tax	1,026.94	
Underestimated State Parks and Reservations 1946	120.18	
	-----	6,217.59
County Tax	\$12,409.19	
Underestimated County Tax 1946	321.00	
	-----	12,730.19
Overlay (current year)		3,079.70
Gross amount to be raised		\$402,351.51

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

Income Tax	\$27,458.40
Corporation Tax	12,841.24
Gasoline Tax	9,700.11
M. V. Excise Taxes	6,000.00
Licenses	8,000.00

Fines	200.00	
Protection of Persons and Property	200.00	
Health and Sanitation	2,250.00	
Charities:		
Public Welfare	2,000.00	
A. D. C.	3,500.00	
Old Age Assistance	28,000.00	
Old Age Tax (Meals)	1,987.50	
Veterans' Benefits	200.00	
Industrial Schools	3,295.64	
Tuition of Wards	800.00	
Cemetery	700.00	
Interest:		
Taxes	1,100.00	
Costs on taxes	275.00	
Rent in lieu of taxes	1,500.00	
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	\$110,007.89	
Amount voted from available funds	64,425.72	
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		174,333.61
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Net amount to be raised by taxation on polls and property		\$228,017.90
Number of Polls, 1667 @ \$2.00		3,334.00
Total valuation \$6,608,350 — Tax Rate \$34.00		
Personal and Real Estate Tax		224,683.90
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax		9,855.24
Total amount of added polls and property tax December 1947		\$8.80

STATISTICS

Assessed Valuation — Real Estate and Personal \$6,608,350

Value of Real Estate:

Buildings	\$3,904,325
Land	\$1,980,450
Value of Personal Estate	\$723,575
Number of Motor Vehicles Assessed	2,097
Number of Horses	115
Number of Cows	1,627
Number of other cattle	214
Number of Swine	97
Number of Fowl	35,325
Number of Dwellings	1,926
Number of Acres of Land	30,423
Number of Persons assessed on property:	
Real and Personal	2,811
Value of Stock in Trade	\$31,300
Value of Machinery	\$246,950
Value of Live Stock	\$262,675
Value of All Other Tangible Personal Property	\$182,650
Value of Automobiles	\$340,910
Real Estate Assessed in December 1947	\$200
Polls added in December 1947	1
Number of Dogs returned	636

J. DOUGLAS BORDEN, Chairman

FRANK R. SLOCUM, Secretary

OSCAR H. PALMER,

Board of Assessors.

BOARD OF HEALTH

The Board of Health respectfully submits the following report for the year ending December 31, 1947.

At the organization meeting held March 22nd, Dr. Joseph W. Ferrebee was elected Chairman and Edward L. Macomber was elected Secretary.

Charles R. Wood was appointed to supervise collection of garbage and kindred matters and to act as agent of the board to issue milk licenses.

Edward L. Macomber was appointed to receive reports of contagious diseases.

Mrs. Grace DeAndrade was appointed Board of Health Nurse and Miss Elizabeth Davis and Mrs. Evelyn Reed as substitute nurses.

Dr. Joseph W. Ferrebee was appointed to supervise the nursing service and dental clinic.

Kenneth A. Potter, Jonathan H. Potter, and Henry W. Brightman were licensed as Funeral Directors.

39 Burial permits, 34 Milk licenses, 8 Alcohol licenses, and 14 licenses for transportation of garbage were issued during the year.

The following diseases dangerous to the public health were reported:

Chicken pox 13, measles 30, scarlet fever 2, Trichinosis 1, Dog Bite 4, and Whooping Cough 21.

Following is the report of the Board of Health Nurse.

REPORT OF NURSE

Board of Health,
Westport, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is the report for Nursing Service for 1947.

Morbidity Service:	<i>Calls</i>
Medical	472
Surgical	70
Chronic	913
Communicable	41
Maternity Service:	
Antepartum	38
Postpartum	15
New born	101
Health Supervision:	
Infant	52
Pre-school	79
Adult (Arrested T.B.)	27
Visits to patients not home	4
Visits made in behalf of patients	412
Total number of field visits	2,224
Fees collected:	\$154.00

The following is a summary of clinic visits:

Robert Breck Brigham, Boston	8
Attleboro Tuberculosis Sanatorium	3
Pondville Hospital	2
St. Anne's Clinic	5

Sassaquin Sanatorium	2
Truesdale Hospital	3
Union Hospital	4
Diphtheria Toxoid Clinic — Jan. 16	38
Feb. 13	36
Mar. 12	28
Apr. 10	6

Total	135

DENTAL CLINIC REPORT

The Dental Clinic was resumed in the Fall of this year. The Board of Health were able to obtain the services of Dr. Bernard Weiser. A survey was made of grades 1 - 6 in all schools by Dr. Weiser assisted by the school nurse. Clinics were started on November 19, 1947.

Number of clinics	5
Number of fillings	25
Number of extractions	40
Collected for Dental Services	\$25.00

Dr. Edward Burt donated his services for the Diphtheria Toxoid Clinics which were held at his home.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE DeANDRADE, R.N.

In our report of last year we stated that the following regulation relative to transportation of garbage into the town had been adopted: "After the first day of January 1947, the transportation of Garbage into the Town of West-

port is prohibited." However, when we attempted to enforce this regulation, we were informed by an opinion of our Town Counsel that this regulation was illegal.

Extracts from this opinion are as follows:

"The Board of Health may grant or refuse permits for cause, and may make reasonable regulations, which it is its duty to enforce."

"The Board of Health, however, may not generally prohibit the transportation of garbage into or through the town; it is beyond the powers of the board."

As a result of this opinion 14 licenses for the transportation of garbage were granted during the year.

The matter of collection of rubbish in the northerly part of the town has been greatly helped during the last of the year by the work of Wilfred Gagne and Rene St. Martin who went from house to house and collected and disposed of the same for a nominal charge.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH W. FERREBEE, M.D.,
CHARLES R. WOOD,
EDWARD L. MACOMBER,

Board of Health

BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The Board of Public Welfare organized for the year ending December 31, 1947 by appointing Samuel A. Boan, Chairman. Mrs. Thelma McHugh and Mrs. Jessica E. Pearce have continued to serve as Welfare Agent and Clerk-Typist respectively.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Public Welfare

Cases receiving aid January 1, 1947	10
Applications received and approved during year	20
Received hospital care only	7
Received welfare aid only	13
Cases closed during year	11
Cases receiving aid December 31, 1947	12
Average monthly case load	14
Average monthly payment	\$366.01
Total amount paid during year (includes Infirmery and administration costs)	\$13,115.37
Receipts:	
State, cities, towns and individuals	\$3,045.27
Net cost to town	\$10,070.10

Infirmery

Number of inmates January 1, 1947	4
Admitted during year	3
Discharged during year	3
Number of inmates December 31, 1947	4
Total amount spent for Infirmery (see Accountant's report)	\$3,824.32

Aid to Dependent Children

	Family	Children
Receiving A. D. C. January 1, 1947	10	23
Applications received and approved during year (One application rejected)	8	22
Total receiving A. D. C. during year	18	45
Cases closed during the year	3	7
Children who became 16 and were dropped		2
Receiving A. D. C. December 31, 1947	15	36
Total amount of A. D. C. paid during year		\$14,731.00
Receipts:		
Federal	\$2,959.95	
State	\$5,409.19	\$8,369.14
Net cost to Town—Assistance		\$6,361.86
Total amount paid for A. D. C. Administration		\$591.70
Receipts—Federal		263.57
Net cost to town—Administration		328.13
Amount appropriated—A. D. C.		\$12,380.00
Amount appropriated—Administration		370.00
Net cost to town for A. D. C.		\$6,361.86
Net cost to town for Administration		\$328.13

Respectfully submitted

SAMUEL A. BOAN, Chairman

(MRS.) ROBY C. BURT

RUSSELL B. DAVIS

BUREAU OF OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The Bureau of Old Age Assistance organized for the year ending December 31, 1947 by appointing Mrs. Roby C. Burt, Chairman. Mrs. Thelma McHugh and Mrs. Jessica E. Pearce have continued to serve as Welfare Agent and Clerk-Typist respectively.

Cases receiving O. A. A. January 1, 1947	129
Applications received and approved	20
Applications received and rejected.	
i. e., sufficient resources	2
Total cases receiving O. A. A. during 1947	149
Cases closed	20
Death	11
To Institutions	3
Transfers	3
Sufficient resources	3
Cases receiving O. A. A. December 31, 1947	129
Highest monthly case load during year	133
Lowest monthly case load during year	127
Average monthly case load	129
Average monthly expenditures incurred	\$6,686.51
Total amount of O. A. A paid during year	\$80,667.29

Receipts—

Federal	\$36,089.40	
State, Cities, Towns, and individuals	\$32,383.31	
	-----	\$68,472.71

Net cost to Town	\$12,194.58
Total amount paid for O. A. A. Administration	\$3,561.26
Receipts—Federal	\$1,371.52
Net cost to Town—Administration	\$2,189.74
Amount appropriated O. A. A.	\$44,600.00

Amount appropriated Administration	\$2,325.00
Net cost to Town for O. A. A.	\$12,394.58
Net cost to Town for Administration	\$2,189.74

Respectfully submitted

(MRS.) ROBY C. BURT, Chairman

SAMUEL A. BOAN

RUSSELL B. DAVIS

Board of Old Age Assistance

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE WESTPORT FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees of the Westport Free Public Library organized for the year ending December 31, 1947 as follows:

Chairman—Elmer B. Manchester, Jr.

Secretary—Dorothy W. Smith

Librarians—Mildred A. Brightman

Betsy Acheson

Jean Woodland

Asst. Librarian—Charles A. Brightman

Book Buyers—Sidney G. Pierce

Ruth V. Woodland

Elmer B. Manchester, Jr.

Dorothy W. Smith

The Library hours for 1947 were changed somewhat and we have every reason to believe that such changes were taken advantage of because of the greatly increased circulation. For the convenience of the High School students the Library was open Tuesday and Friday during school hours. As in 1946 the practice of opening alternate Saturdays from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M. was followed. Starting April 7, 1947 the Library was open every Monday night from 7:00 to 9:00, with Mildred A. Brightman, librarian, to better serve the patrons and we feel that this served to greatly increase the output of books. Betsy Acheson and Jean Woodland resigned and Charles A. Brightman was appointed to act as Assistant Librarian and since the first of November the Library has been open every Saturday afternoon as well as each Monday night.

Due to the increased cost we were unable to purchase as many books as in previous years. Our Librarian services also cost us more but we feel this money well spent.

The Committee will welcome suggestions from the patrons regarding any book or books they would like to have in the Library and we will do our utmost to see that they are placed on our shelves.

A comparison of the circulation for the years 1946 and 1947 will show a decided increase.

	1946	1947
Adult Fiction	1710	2561
Juvenile	346	976
Non-fiction	182	363
Magazines	55	88
School Deposits	975	1200

The Division of Public Libraries, Boston, has made it possible for Libraries such as ours to borrow for patrons use, books that are not on our shelves and anyone caring to take advantage of this service may do so by applying to the Librarian.

The Library appropriation was used for Librarians' services, books and periodicals, details of which are to be found in the Town Accountant's report.

Respectfully submitted,

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.

Chairman

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I respectfully submit the following as the report of the Police Department for the year 1947.

Organization

CHIEF OF POLICE

Charles H. Dean

SERGEANT

Joseph Cieto

POLICE OFFICERS

Norman B. Hopkinson

Albert Blais

Roland Massey

RESERVE OFFICERS

Clarence Lawton

Joseph H. Blair

William Lekom

James Hancock

Melvin Wood

Frederick W. Palmer, Jr.

Manuel Martin

Jospeh Smith

Gilbert A. Santos

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The following is a summary of the nature and number of arrests:

Driving so as to endanger life	4
Operating under influence of liquor	3
Leaving scene of accident	3
Operating without license	2
Unlawful taking auto	1
Speeding	5
Drunkenness	6
Disturbing of the peace	3
Neglect of wife and family	4

School law violation	1
Breaking and entering	3
Illegitimate child act violation	1
Town by-laws	1
Unlicensed dog	2
Larceny	4
	43

Miscellaneous:

Accidental drownings	3
Suicide	1
Auto accidents investigated	86
Auto fatalities	3
Ambulance cases	82
Lost or stolen property recovered	\$5,312.60
Number of buildings found open	8
Funerals attended	4
Special licenses issued	45
Auto transfer papers	892
Complaints investigated	1725
Response to fire calls	14

During the year I turned in to the Treasurer the sum of \$382.50 for various licenses issued.

REPORT OF CRUISER-AMBULANCE

The following is a summary of the ambulance cases to the various hospitals:

Truesdale Hospital, Fall River	22
Union Hospital, Fall River	26
St. Anne's Hospital, Fall River	7
St. Luke's Hospital, New Bedford	3
Chelsea Veterans' Hospital	1
Veterans' Hospital, Newport	1

Acushnet Hospital, Acushnet	8
General Hospital, Fall River	1
Miscellaneous	13
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	82

The Cruiser-Ambulance travelled 46,010 miles from
January 1, 1947 to January 1, 1948.

CHARLES H. DEAN,

Chief of Police

REPORT OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

January 23, 1948

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Mr. John Smith, Chairman

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit the following as the report of the Fire Department for the year 1947.

During the year the department answered 138 alarms, classified as follows:

Buildings	19
Chimneys	17
Grass and Brush	68
Automobiles	8
Flooded Oil Burners	6
False Alarms	2
Out of Town	6
Tractors	4
Needless Runs	3
Oil Trucks	1
Dumps	1
Miscellaneous	3
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The assessed valuation, losses and insurance on buildings and contents of the 19 building fires are listed as follows:

Value of buildings	\$24,525.00
Value of contents	8,996.00

Insurance on buildings	45,000.00
Insurance on contents	18,000.00
Loss on buildings	14,750.00
Loss on contents	8,600.00
Insurance paid on buildings	13,350.00
Insurance paid on contents	2,000.00

Respetcfully submitted,

STANLEY E. GIFFORD

Fire Chief

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

	<i>Number</i>
Platform Scales Sealed under 5,000 lbs.	13
Platform Scales Adjusted under 5,000 lbs.	4
Counter Scales Sealed under 100 lbs.	1
Beam Scales Sealed Over 100 lbs.	1
Spring Scales Sealed over 100 lbs.	1
Spring Scales Adjusted over 100 lbs.	1
Spring Scales Sealed under 100 lbs.	27
Spring Scales Adjusted under 100 lbs.	5
Computing Scales Sealed under 100 lbs.	15
Computing Scales Adjusted under 100 lbs.	2
Weights Sealed	37
Liquid Measure over 1 gallon Sealed	1
Liquid Measure under 1 gallon	40
Meters 1 inch inlet Sealed	40
Meters 1 inch inlet Adjusted	14
Meters over 1 inch inlet Sealed	1
Gasoline Pumps Sealed	1
Oil Pumps Not Sealed	13
Kerosene Pumps Sealed	5
Kerosene Pumps Not Sealed	2
Grease Pumps Sealed	22
Stops Sealed	7
Dry Measures Sealed	7

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER F. KING

Sealer of Weights and Measures

PERPETUAL CARE OF BURIAL LOTS

BEECH GROVE CEMETERY
Walter A. Brightman, Superintendent

Ledger Page	NAME OF DEPOSITOR	No.	Sec.	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1947	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1948
1	William S. & Mary E. Wood	1	A	\$100.00	\$1.54	\$2.03	\$1.54	\$2.03
2	Mary Davis	2	A	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
3	Charles Potter & Richmond W. Tripp	4	A	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
4	Adeline Kirby Est.	7	A	120.75	1.85	2.45	1.85	2.45
5	Godfrey Cornell	8	A	500.00	43.84	10.91	10.00	44.75
6	Joshua H. Cornell	9	A	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
7	John F. Pettey	18	A	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
8	Ira Tripp	19	A	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
9	Ellery Lincoln and Charles H. Allen	20	A	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
10	Charles H. Brownell	23	A	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
11	Jerome P. Tripp	½ of 24	A	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
12	George B. Gifford Lot	25	A	100.00	1.52	2.02	1.52	2.02
13	Lizzie B. & Augustus R. Wood	27 & 28	A	200.00	3.58	4.07	3.58	4.07

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14	Christopher B. Tripp	34	A	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
15	Hattie A. Davis Est.	35	A	100.00	1.51	2.02	1.51	2.02
16	Mary M. Kelley and Lyman Snell	36	A	100.00	1.51	2.02	1.51	2.02
17	Benjamin R. Tripp Lot	39 & 40	B	150.00	2.31	3.05	2.31	3.05
18	Barney Gifford Lot	41	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
19	Chester Macomber	42	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
20	Edmund Kirby	44	B	100.00	1.52	2.02	1.52	2.02
21	William Gifford	45	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
22	Mary Tripp	46	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
23	Judith E. Kirby	47	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
24	Clarinda Macomber	48	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
25	Emanuel D. Mosher	50	B	100.00	1.65	2.02	1.65	2.02
26	Annie M. Kirby	51	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
27	Cyrus W. Tripp and Nancy A. Davis	54	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
28	Henry T. Pettey Lot	58	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
29	Clarence H. Davis	60	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
30	Lafayette L. Gifford	63	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
31	William H. Pettey	64	B	100.00	1.64	2.01	1.64	2.01

32	Lizzie Luther	65	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
33	Timothy Leary	68	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
34	Emerson T. Howland	70	B	200.00	5.34	4.10	5.34	4.10
35	Adeliza Green	71	B	75.00	1.14	1.51	1.14	1.51
36	Charlotte Hicks	72	B	200.00	7.26	4.16	3.00	8.42
37	Elizabeth Kirby	77	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
38	Drucilla G. Manchester	79 & 80	B	200.00	3.08	4.06	3.08	4.06
39	George W. Taber	81	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
40	Abby Dring	83	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
41	Eleanor S. Carpenter	84	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
42	Frank J. Sherman	86	B	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
43	Hannah E. Jones	87	B	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
44	Ezra Macomber Lot	88	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
45	William E. Tripp	90	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
46	Thomas J. Hart	91	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
47	Jerome P. Tripp	92	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
48	Margaret Potter	94	C	150.00	3.39	3.07	3.00	3.46
49	Victoria A. Pettey	96	C	100.00	1.65	2.02	1.65	2.02
50	Benjamin T. Pettey Lot	97	C	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52

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51	Cortez Allen Lot	102 & 103	C	500.00	5.08	10.13	5.08	10.13
52	Mary S. Macomber Est.	105	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
53	Mary F. Cornell	108	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
54	Lysander W. White	110	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
55	Philander W. Macomber	116	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
56	Abbie G. Tripp	117	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
57	Rachel G. Manchester	118 & 119	C	200.00	3.08	4.06	3.08	4.06
58	Ruth S. Potter	127	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
59	Louisa R. Palmer, Admr	128	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
60	Daniel Tripp	129	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
61	Philip Sanford	136	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
62	Ethel Anderson	137	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
63	Charles F. Bentley	112	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
64	James H. Sullivan	104	C	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
65	Zelotes Almy	6 & 8	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
66	Thomas R. Brightman	7	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
67	Thomas Brayton	9	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
68	Albert D. Manchester	11	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03

69	Asa S. Jones	14	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
70	Phoebe S. Sisson	16	D	100.00	1.76	2.03	1.76	2.03
71	Mary S. Winslow	18	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
72	Sarah E. Pease & Emily F. & A. J. Delano	19	D	200.00	7.33	4.15	4.00	7.48
73	Stephen Davis Lot	21	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
74	Lydia M. Chace	22	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
75	George F. White	23	D	200.00	5.83	4.12	4.00	5.95
76	Edward L. Macomber	24	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
77	James H. Sanford	25	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
78	Arthur G. Tuell	26	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
79	Samuel P. Sowle	27	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
80	Mary A. Clayton Lot	28	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
81	Phoebe Tripp	29	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
82	Nannie E. Tripp	30	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
83	Eli Handy's Heirs	31	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
84	Mary J. Wing	32	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
85	Peleg P. Lawton	33	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
86	Nason R. Macomber & Bertha C. Burns	34	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
87	Calvin & Ruth A. Manchester	35	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
88	Holder Gifford Lot	38	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01

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89	Almeida M. Tripp	39	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
90	Jerusha Howland	40	D	200.00	9.64	4.17	4.00	9.81
91	Horatio N. Hart Lot	42	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
92	Mary R. Seabury & N. S. Brownell	43	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
93	Mabel B. & Sarah A. Gifford	46	D	200.00	6.03	4.14	4.00	6.17
94	Emma R. Tripp	48	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
95	Herbert A. Brightman	49	D	100.00	1.78	2.03	1.78	2.03
96	Jane T. Pierce Lot	50	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
97	William S. Head	51	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
98	Walter S. Davis Est.	52	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
99	Leonard & Abbie Brownell Heirs	53	D	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
100	Lydia W. Sowle	36	D	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
101	Anna C. Madsen	56	D	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
102	Ann R. Pettey	1	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
103	John Smith	2	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
104	Clarinda T. Snell	10	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
105	William W. Gifford	11	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
106	Henry F. Wilbur	14	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03

107	Sarah H. Brownell	16	E	200.00	10.41	4.20	4.00	10.61
108	Albert M. Allen	17	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
109	Everett G. Manchester	19	E	200.00	8.95	4.18	5.00	8.13
110	Elizabeth A. Brightman	20	E	100.00	1.65	2.02	1.65	2.02
111	George F. Wood	22 & 24	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
112	George W. Kirby	25	E	100.00	0.76	1.43	0.76	1.43
113	Eldorus E. Weston	26	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
114	George B. Gifford Lot	28 & 29	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
115	Judith M. Russell	31	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
116	Walter A. White	34	E	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
117	Mrs. Annie E. Brightman	35	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
118	Joseph B. & Alice A. Vanasse	38	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
119	Emma F. Potter	43	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
120	William A. Smith	36	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
121	Ezra L. Sanford	39	E	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
122	Annie R. Howland	45	E	125.00	1.91	2.54	1.91	2.54
123	Edwin J. Tripp	47	E	170.00	5.51	3.52	3.00	6.03
124	Mrs. Annie E. Mosher	50	E	80.00	1.23	1.63	1.23	1.63
125	Samuel F. Hazzard	51	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
126	Albert C. Kirby	52 & 54	E	200.00	3.39	4.08	3.39	4.08

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127	H. C. & W. S. Kirby	52 & 54	E	200.00	3.76	4.08	3.76	4.08
128	R. J. Sowle	56	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
129	John S. Taber	18	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
130	A. E. & H. A. Davis	1	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
131	Arthur L. Lawton	9	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
132	Walter H. Wilbur	10	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
133	Gladys L. Feeney	3	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
134	Henry P. P. Brayton Lot	11	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
135	Charles F. Bentley	12	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
136	Alden C. & Florence Brayton	13 & 15	F	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
137	Robert F. Doane	22	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
138	Giles A. Davis	30	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
139	Alphonse Begnoche Lot	31	F	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
140	Elizabeth C. Allen	33	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
141	Joseph V. Peckham Lot	34	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
142	G. B. Wilbur	38	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
143	A. E. Wilbur & Lysander Manchester	40	F	75.00	1.14	1.51	1.14	1.51
144	George W. Wilcox	13	E	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03

145	William C. White	111	C	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
146	Maria E. Mosher Lot	55	B	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
148	Valinda Lake Lot	109	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
149	Josiah Bowers Lot	4		50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
150	Samuel Hadfield	58	E	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
151	Oliver B. Washburn	20	D	150.00	1.82	3.02	1.82	3.02
152	Francis C. Pettingill Lot	43	F	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
153	Milton L. Dunham	6	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
154	Simeon Wilkie Lot	113	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
155	Ann R. Pettey	1	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
156	N. Wilcox	30	E	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
157	Alice Esser	12	C	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
158	R. L. Peckham & F. D. Vanderburg	7	B	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
159	Leonora W. Russell Lot	135	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
160	Joshua Hart Lot	13	C	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
161	John R. Fish Jr.	6	F	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.15	1.52
163	Ezra Davis Est.			100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
164	W. L. Snell	98	C	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
165	Walter Burt Lot	28	C	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
166	Mrs. Robert A. Gifford Lot	14	A	75.00	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.53

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169	George Mackie	260-262	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
170	James A. Tripp	223		50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
171	Pardon T. Sowle	15	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
172	Amanda Little Est.	36 & 37	F	200.00	4.10	4.10	4.10	4.10
173	Marguerite Manchester	217	F	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
174	John Smith Lot			50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
175	Richard Howarth (Single Grave)			15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
176	Pettinger Single Grave			15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
177	Andrew Szaro Lot			60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
178	William E. Brightman Est.	55	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
179	Arthur V. Tripp			120.00	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45
180	John Duffany			50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
181	Charles R. Wood	49		100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
182	Milton E. Wood	44		75.00	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.53
183	Clara Borden	11	C	75.00	1.53	1.53	1.53	1.53
184	Alfred N. Sanford	54	D	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
185	Samuel Roylance Jr.			60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
186	Eudora Davis	290 & 292	D	110.00	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25

187	Joseph A. Janson	215	F	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
188	Charles H. Dean Lot	288		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
189	Philander R. Davis	14	F	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
190	John Walsh (Single Grave)	3		15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
191	Elizabeth C. Allen Lot	33	F	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
192	Lydia Gifford Lot	78	B	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
193	David L. Brown			30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
195	George E. & Viola F. Gifford	265-267		120.00	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45
196	George F. Davis	136	C	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
197	Anne Kaye	282		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
198	Daniel Meader	286		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
199	Dudley Davenport Jr.	284		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
200	Ruth Lewis Lot	258		50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
201	Ethelbert Christopher	280		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
202	Kenneth A. Potter	276		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
203	William Edgerton	278		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
204	Charles A. Chace Tr.	295		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
205	Warren W. Cory & Edwin L. Tripp	284		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
206	Grave of Katina Moucas			15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
207	Grace of Costas Moucas			15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30

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208	Grave of Viola Adams			15.00	0.31	0.31	0.31	0.31
209	Annie Clough (2 Single Graves)			30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
210	Thomas W. Barnes	256		50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
211	George E. Kent (2 Single Graves)	12 & 13		30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
212	Milton E. Earle	221		60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
213	Mae Magee Holme	224	E	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
214	Manuel P. Cabral	272	D	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
215	Benjamin T. Shaw Lot	29	A	70.00	1.43	1.43	1.43	1.43
216	Milton E. Earle	219	F	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
217	George Armitage	14 & 15		30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
218	Frank A. Davol	12	D	120.00	2.45	2.45	2.45	2.45
219	W. A. Macomber	42	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
220	Sarah A. Fitton (2 Graves)	16 & 17		30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
221	Sydney Wall (2 Graves)	18 & 19		30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
222	Frederick L. Borden	291-293	D	110.00	2.25	2.25	2.25	2.25
223	Norman A. Waite	266	D	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
224	John S. Babcock	115		100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
225	Oscar M. Sylvia	298	C	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02

226	Chester M. Brackett	253	E	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
227	Albert Wood	200	F	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
228	Carlton D. Macomber	255		50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
229	John A. Smith	259	E	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
230	D. Stuart Smith	261	E	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
231	Thomas B. Bennett (Single Grave)			15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
232	Alfred Crabtree Lot	268	D	60.00	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.22
233	Charles E. Nelson	6	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
234	Louis F. Allen (2 Single Graves)	26 & 27		30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
235	William H. Brightman Lot	254	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
236	Victor F. Sylvia	294 & 296		100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
237	Kathleen & William Bennett	270		100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
238	Est. of James A. Tripp	223	E	50.00	1.02	1.02	1.02	1.02
239	Bessie L. Handy (2 Single Graves)	28 & 29		30.00	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.60
240	Elmer A. & George F. Pierce	37		100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
241	Grave of Joseph M. Andrews			15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
242	Est. of Hattie E. Shurtleff	38	A	100.00	4.86	2.09		6.95
243	Jennie A. Picard & Nellie Whittaker	4	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
244	Frederick C. Wilson	202	F	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
245	Est. Joseph S. Bowman	30	A	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05

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246	Elizabeth F. C. Potter & Alice L. Huie	203	F	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
247	Norman B. Chase	214	F	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
248	Leslie B. Davis	60	D	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
249	William E. Davis	252	E	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
250	Miriam M. Ogden	212	F	100.00	2.05	2.05	2.05	2.05
251	Charles H. Dean	289		75.00	1.51	1.53	1.51	1.53
252	Claudia W. Tripp (Single Grave)	30		15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
253	Henry S. Richards	204	F	100.00	2.01	2.05	2.01	2.05
254	John H. Davis & Edmund Davis			125.00	2.53	2.55	2.53	2.55
255	Eric Pieper (Single Grave)	31		15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
256	Charles & Marie Yezik	210	F	100.00	2.01	2.05	2.01	2.05
257	Marcia Kent	14	C	125.00	2.51	2.55	2.51	2.55
258	Harold J. MacLeod	208	F	100.00	2.01	2.05	2.01	2.05
259	Margaret Boulds	206	F	100.00	2.01	2.05	2.01	2.05
260	Bradley L. Baker	68	D	100.00	2.01	2.05	2.01	2.05
261	Sarah A. Walsh (Single Grave)	32		15.00	0.30	0.30	0.30	0.30
262	Est. of Sybil L. Mercer			100.00	1.50	2.03	1.50	2.03
263	George D. Manchester	Graves 101-102		30.00	0.45	0.60	0.45	0.60

264	Dorothy Searles	226	E	100.00	0.83	2.01	0.83	2.01
265	Lester Bowman	Graves 105-106		30.00	0.15	0.60	0.15	0.60
266	Shirley L. & Ralph E. Broadbent	61	D	100.00	0.33	2.01	0.33	2.01
267	Est. of Irving C. Hammond	16	A	100.00	0.33	2.01	0.33	2.01
268	William F. Healy	Graves 103-104		30.00	.....	0.60	.....	0.60
269	Est. Josephine Manchester	24	A	100.00	.....	2.01	.....	2.01
270	Harry Warrington	Graves 107-108		30.00	.....	0.55	.....	0.55
271	George H. Adao	248	E	100.00	.....	1.17	.....	1.17
272	Sydney B. Sanford	67	D	100.00	.....	1.00	.....	1.00
273	Andrew H. Davis	209		100.00	.....	0.83	.....	0.83
274	Warren C. & Carrie Lawton	213	F	100.00	.....	0.83	.....	0.83
275	Mrs. Alvin G. Baker	205 & 207	F	200.00	.....	1.00	.....	1.00
276	Joseph & Bernice Cieto	59	D	100.00	.....	0.50	.....	0.50
277	Lavinia Gill	246	E	100.00	.....	0.50	.....	0.50
278	Harriet N. Pettey			100.00
279	Wilfred & Mercedes Ouellette			100.00
280	Dorothy L. Tripp			100.00
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				\$23,060.75	\$441.46	\$452.79	\$372.41	\$521.84

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY
Arthur L. Lawton, Superintendent

Ledger Page	NAME OF DEPOSITOR	No.	Sec.	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1947	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1948
151	James H. Manchester	1	A	\$100.00	\$1.84	\$2.03	\$1.75	\$2.12
152	Mary C. Tripp Lot	E. ½ of 7	A	40.00	8.84	0.97	2.00	7.81
153	Charles F. Russell Lot	14	A	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
154	Henry Feenan	15	A	25.00	6.34	0.62	.....	6.96
155	Elizabeth A. Cook	27	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
156	J. M. Wright Lot	25	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
157	George A. Simmons Lot	30	A	100.00	10.22	2.21	4.00	8.43
158	Prudence S. & George A. Simmons	39	A	100.00	1.80	2.03	1.75	2.08
159	Wilson Sherman	41	B	100.00	1.76	2.03	1.75	2.04
161	John A. Jenks Lot	45	B	75.00	6.59	1.63	4.00	4.22
162	John A. Perry Lot	46	B	50.00	3.91	1.07	.....	4.98
163	Rhoda T. Macomber	51	A	100.00	9.76	2.18	4.00	7.94
164	Charles L., Wm. A., Edw. Sherman & Mrs. Philip Manchester	52 & 53	A	225.00	4.12	4.59	4.00	4.71

165	William Burrows	52½	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
166	Jane F. Taber & Frank H. Snell	37 & 54	A	150.00	2.49	3.06	2.25	3.30
167	William C. Wordell Lot	W. ½ of 58½	B	25.00	3.46	0.56	2.00	2.02
168	Ruth W. Reed	58	A	100.00	11.48	2.23	2.00	11.71
169	Mary W. Briggs Lot	59	A	125.00	4.52	2.59	.....	7.11
170	Abner Kirby Lot	W. ½ of 61	A	50.00	8.45	1.17	2.00	7.62
171	Ruth S. Sherman Lot	72	A	175.00	86.01	5.24	4.00	87.25
172	Rosina J. Tripp Lot	77	B	100.00	21.72	2.43	4.00	20.15
173	Benjamin S. Thurston	81	A	100.00	14.43	2.29	4.00	12.72
174	Rhoda Davis Est.	90	A	75.00	1.89	1.53	1.75	1.67
175	James H. & John S. Tripp Lot	91 & 92	A	100.00	44.45	2.89	.....	47.34
176	Eliza Macomber Lot	93	A	100.00	1.76	2.03	1.75	2.04
177	Melantha B. Adams & Julia A. Tripp	95	A	50.00	0.86	1.01	0.75	1.12
178	William Sherman Est.	100	A	100.00	7.94	2.16	4.00	6.10
179	William E. Sherman Est.	101	A	100.00	1.65	2.03	1.50	2.18
180	Nellie E. Pettey	107	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
181	Ezekiel W. Reed	159½	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
182	Cynthia A. Mosher	114	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
183	Ellsworth L. Sabins	129	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY — Continued

184	Charles R. Allen	140	A	50.00	30.03	1.60	.....	31.63
185	James F. Tripp	143	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
186	Mrs. Charles F. Allen	147	A	50.00	8.02	1.16	2.00	7.18
187	Eli F. Pettey	148	A	150.00	1.48	2.39	1.25	2.62
188	Rachael M. Trafford	150	A	100.00	16.83	2.33	4.00	15.16
189	William A. Davis Lot	46	A	150.00	8.03	3.15	4.00	7.18
190	Mary A. & Lydia A. Lewis Lot	5	B	75.00	1.24	1.53	1.00	1.77
191	Luther B. Tripp	5½	B	75.00	1.20	1.52	1.00	1.72
192	Isaac L. Tripp	6	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
193	Lucy G. Barney	14	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
194	Mary Wordell	15	B	75.00	4.14	1.58	4.00	1.72
195	Emma Garland	16	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
196	Mary A. Allen	17	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
197	Henry H. Gifford Lot	21	B	75.00	1.20	1.52	1.00	1.72
198	Dianna Kirby Est.	Middle ½ of 22	B	100.00	1.83	2.03	1.75	2.11
199	Mrs. Elliot S. Tripp	43	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
200	Alice A. Sisson	44	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
202	Frank S. Pettey	47	A	100.00	8.55	2.17	4.00	6.72

203	George A. Tripp	51	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
204	Charles T. Frates	52	B	100.00	23.63	2.47	4.00	22.10
205	George M. Mosher	60	B	75.00	15.76	1.81	2.00	15.57
206	A. E. Sabins & E. K. Thompson	61	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
207	Richmond L. Grinnell Est.	63	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
208	F. A. Mosher	69	B	75.00	1.24	1.53	1.00	1.77
209	Wilbar D. Tripp Est.	120	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
210	William E. Manchester Est.	2	A	100.00	80.39	3.62	4.00	80.01
211	George A. King Lot	21	A	50.00	2.87	1.05	.....	3.92
212	Capt. James F. Tripp Lot	46½	A	75.00	12.28	1.75	4.00	10.03
213	Abner B. Kirby	62	A	50.00	39.61	1.79	7.00	34.40
214	Adoniram King	67	B	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
215	Arthur E. Lawrence	68	B	100.00	37.15	2.75	4.00	35.90
216	Daniel Whalon Lot	99	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
217	Lydia A. Ellis Lot	82	B	150.00	33.53	3.68	4.00	33.21
218	Mrs. A. May Tucker	83	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
219	C. H. & Elizabeth J. Roberts Lot	94	B	50.00	35.97	1.71	4.00	33.68
220	George A. Jenks Lot	23	A	75.00	1.28	1.53	1.25	1.56
221	Orlando W. H. Snell Est.	38	A	75.00	1.39	1.53	1.25	1.67

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY — Continued

222	M. E. Lawrence Est.	48	A	75.00	1.16	1.52	1.00	1.68
223	Walter E. Crapo	W. ½ of 159	A	100.00	1.13	2.01	1.00	2.14
224	Emma A. Reed Lot	159½	A	75.00	16.17	1.83	3.25	14.75
225	Lydia A. Crapo Lot	19	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
226	Alice E. Russell & Mary E. Kirby	16	A	75.00	5.75	1.60	4.00	3.35
227	Wilfred A. Briggs Lot	57¼	B	50.00	5.51	1.11	4.00	2.62
228	James F. Tripp	49	B	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
229	Anna Eliza Gifford	½ of 147	A	50.00	20.28	1.40	2.00	19.68
230	George E. Gifford Lot	102	A	75.00	71.44	2.93	5.50	68.87
231	Lillian Allen for Simmons Lot	42	A	75.00	1.39	1.53	1.25	1.67
232	Mary E. Howland Lot	108	A	150.00	39.80	3.80	5.00	38.60
233	Phineas W. Crapo Lot	48 & 49	A	100.00	1.60	2.03	1.50	2.13
234	Elton Davis & Melville L. Sherman	59	B	66.00	1.24	1.34	1.00	1.58
235	Elton Davis	58½	B	34.00	0.71	0.69	0.50	0.90
236	Rose L. Ashley Est.	85	A	100.00	10.59	2.21	4.00	8.80
237	Eunice Gidley	69	A	150.00	56.70	4.14	4.00	56.84
238	John Smith	107	B	75.00	1.36	1.53	1.25	1.64
239	Hannah Andrews	2	B	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67

240	William Allison Lot	122	B	75.00	1.23	1.52	1.00	1.75
241	E. A. Jones Lot	30	B	75.00	14.54	1.79	4.00	12.33
242	Franklin K. Sisson	23	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
243	Georgianna Tripp	60	A	100.00	27.92	2.56	4.00	26.48
244	Robert S. Reed Lot	66	A	100.00	6.23	2.13	4.00	4.36
245	Lydia Sherman Lot	111	A	100.00	3.35	2.07	3.25	2.17
247	Jireh Gifford Lot	34	A	100.00	22.86	2.46	4.00	21.32
248	Amy A. Poole	44	A	175.00	28.23	4.06	4.00	28.29
249	Charles R. Macomber Lot	151	A	100.00	20.07	2.41	4.00	18.48
250	Mrs. Effie Farley	64	A	150.00	34.55	3.70	4.00	34.25
251	Myrtle Whalon	34	B	100.00	1.74	2.03	1.50	2.27
252	Mrs. B. F. Reed	39	B	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
253	D. E. Sanford Lot	144 & 145	A	150.00	2.40	3.05	2.25	3.20
255	Edward S. Maxfield	108½	A	100.00	1.92	2.03	1.75	2.20
256	Joseph Manha	153	A	100.00	1.58	2.03	1.50	2.11
257	Ruth J. Brownell	86	A	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
258	Joseph M. Shorrock Est.	89	A	100.00	1.61	2.03	1.50	2.14
259	Frank E. Brightman & Abbie Gibson	22	A	100.00	2.10	2.05	2.00	2.15
260	Benjamin C. Tripp	57	A	100.00	1.63	2.03	1.50	2.16
261	Elvira Wordell Lot	31	A	150.00	14.75	3.30	4.00	14.05

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY -- Continued

263	Mary Brocklehurst Lot	N. ½ of 36	A	100.00	7.09	2.15	2.00	7.24
264	Erastus Brownell Lot	24	B	100.00	2.07	2.05	2.00	2.12
265	Ellen Tripp	96	A	200.00	27.98	4.56	4.00	28.54
266	E. Walter Blossom	74	B	150.00	18.10	3.37	4.00	17.47
268	Ralph Maddigan	55	A	50.00	1.13	1.02	.....	2.15
269	Est. Edwin Borden	72	B	150.00	13.39	3.28	4.00	12.67
270	Augustus G. Lawton Lot	75	A	100.00	26.59	2.53	.....	29.12
271	George S. Lawton	25	B	100.00	26.04	2.53	.....	28.57
272	George W. Records Lot	4	B	100.00	2.24	2.05	2.00	2.29
273	Est. of W. C. Borden	93	B	150.00	16.62	3.34	4.00	15.96
274	Nancy A. Simmons Lot	29	A	100.00	2.12	2.05	2.00	2.17
275	Cynthia Wordell Lot	133 & 134	A	100.00	2.06	2.05	2.00	2.11
276	Edgar E. Cory	E. ½ of 95	B	60.00	1.45	1.23	1.25	1.43
277	Sarah E. Lawton	110A	B	100.00	13.40	2.27	.....	15.67
279	George P. Brownell Lot	27	B	100.00	13.18	2.27	.....	15.45
280	John S. Hambly	13	B	100.00	2.21	2.05	2.00	2.26
281	Sylvanus P. Hawes	105	B	100.00	6.63	2.13	4.00	4.76
282	Edna Towle Lot	28	A	150.00	5.80	3.12	4.00	4.92

283	Ida Duffany	104	B	100.00	13.24	2.27	.....	15.51
284	Annie E. Sherman	80	A	300.00	30.67	6.63	.....	37.30
285	Roger B. Sisson Est.	91	B	300.00	17.66	6.37	4.00	20.03
286	John S. Hambly	13	B	50.00	1.96	1.03	1.75	1.24
287	Waldo A. Sherman	41	B	100.00	2.21	2.05	2.00	2.26
288	Annie Wilber	10	A	150.00	10.34	3.21	4.00	9.55
289	Elbridge B. Wordell	E. ½ of 133	A	50.00	2.08	1.04	2.00	1.12
290	Elizabeth A. Wordell	W. ½ of 133	A	50.00	2.08	1.04	2.00	1.12
291	Ralph B. Tripp & John P. Walsh	118	B	150.00	12.34	3.25	.....	15.59
292	Edith L. Tinkham	4	A	200.00	4.65	4.09	4.00	4.74
293	Sarah C. Mosher	11	B	150.00	11.33	3.23	.....	14.56
294	C. H. & Elizabeth J. Roberts	94	B	50.00	3.32	1.06	2.00	2.38
295	Charles R. Allen Lot	140	A	50.00	2.23	1.04	.....	3.27
296	Samuel G. Allen Lot	139	A	50.00	2.23	1.04	.....	3.27
297	Alamanza P. Soule Lot	112	B	200.00	9.83	4.20	7.00	7.03
298	Myrtle Whalon & Abbie E. Keyes	34	B	75.00	2.16	1.54	2.00	1.70
299	A. K. Sabins & Emma E. Thompson	61	B	50.00	1.05	1.02	1.00	1.07
300	Waldo A. Sherman	41 & 41A	B	100.00	2.25	2.05	2.25	2.05
N151	Edward S. Francis Lot	66	B	150.00	4.04	3.09	4.00	3.13
N152	Lurena E. Mosher Lot	56	A	200.00	5.12	4.12	4.00	5.24

MAPLE GROVE CEMETERY — Continued

N153	Bessie D. Pierce	½ of 122	A	150.00	3.32	3.07	2.50	3.89
N154	Edna M. Lawton	35	A	100.00	2.03	3.55	.....	5.58
N155	Lizzie E. Pettey	39	A	100.00	2.45	2.05	2.25	2.25
N156	Lizzie E. Pettey	51	A	100.00	3.20	2.07	.....	5.27
N157	Everett Sanford Lot	54	B	150.00	3.54	3.08	3.50	3.12
N158	Lillian M. Tripp	N. ½ of 11	A	100.00	2.18	2.05	.....	4.23
N159	Herbert M. Tripp	W. ½ of 155	B	150.00	3.26	3.07	2.00	4.33
N160	Ernest F. Pettey	151	B	200.00	4.02	4.10	4.00	4.12
N161	Rebecca E. Craw	S. ½ of 11	A	100.00	1.50	2.03	1.50	2.03
N162	Charles W. Jackman	C	A	100.00	1.50	2.03	.....	3.53
N163	Ada L. Wing	138	A	200.00	1.67	4.04	.....	5.71
N164	Albert B. Briggs	59	A	50.00	.....	1.00	.....	1.00
N165	William A. Sherman Est.	E. ½ of 61	A	100.00	.....	2.01	.....	2.01
N166	Lillian A. Brightman	71	B	100.00	0.33	0.33
N167	Charles E. Barlow & Irene F. Johansen	S. ½ of 175	B	100.00
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				\$15,200.00	\$1,438.04	\$329.92	\$318.25	\$1,449.71

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY

Arthur L. Lawton, Superintendent

Ledger Page	NAME OF DEPOSITOR	No.	Sec.	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1947	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1948
1	Alexander H. Tripp	4		\$50.00	\$0.85	\$1.01	\$0.75	\$1.11
2	Meribah A. Gifford	W. ½ of 5		25.00	0.57	0.50	0.50	0.57
3	Theodore A. Tripp	E. ½ of 5		25.00	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
4	Alice P. Winchester	9		150.00	4.90	3.09	4.00	3.99
5	Laura J. Reed	10		50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
6	Mary C. Bailey	11		50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
7	Henry C. Baker Lot	12		150.00	8.28	3.16	4.00	7.44
8	Alexander H. Wing Lot	N. ½ of 14		50.00	4.09	1.08	2.00	3.17
9	Alexander Brownell	17		50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
10	Henry H. Gifford Lot	18		75.00	1.16	1.52	1.00	1.68
11	John L. Anthony & George Kirby Lots	19, 21, 22 & 24		100.00	1.76	2.03	1.75	2.04
12	Joseph C. Little Lot	26		100.00	1.73	2.03	1.50	2.26
13	Alice F. Peckham Lots	23, 25, 60 & 62		250.00	3.93	5.09	3.75	5.27
14	W. L. R. Gifford	27 & 58		150.00	2.42	3.05	2.25	3.22

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY — Continued

15	Mary A. M. Wood	31	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
16	John G. Paris	32	75.00	1.21	1.52	1.00	1.73
17	George M. White	29 & 56	150.00	2.38	3.05	2.25	3.18
18	George A. Hough	36	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
19	Amy W. Richmond	37	100.00	7.30	2.15	4.00	5.45
20	Charles W. Smith	43, 45, 73 & 74	100.00	1.76	2.03	1.75	2.04
21	Cynthia Little & C. O. Church	39 & 46	200.00	3.63	4.08	3.50	4.21
22	Ann E. Sisson	41	110.00	1.71	2.23	1.50	2.44
23	Anna C. Davis	73 & 45	50.00	0.89	1.01	0.75	1.15
24	William Allen Lot	45	25.00	0.50	0.50	0.50	0.50
25	Elizabeth G. Howland	48	150.00	0.85	1.84	0.75	1.94
26	John C. Macomber Est.	50	150.00	9.52	3.18	4.00	8.70
27	Eli P. Lawton Lot	51	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
28	Emma A. Reed	75	30.00	0.54	0.60	0.50	0.64
29	Addie M. Fish	79	250.00	10.00	5.22	4.00	11.22
30	Joseph K. Wordell Lot	86	150.00	38.48	3.78	4.00	38.26
31	Bloomington Lot	89	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
32	Ellis Tripp & Alida Merrill	94	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
33	Amanda M. Little	95 & 98	200.00	3.30	4.08	3.25	4.13

34	Nellie F. Sisson	100	75.00	1.18	1.52	1.00	1.70
35	H. A. Chadwick	101	75.00	1.18	1.52	1.00	1.70
36	A. A. Duke, C. K. Macomber & A. M. Little	104	100.00	3.81	2.07	3.75	2.13
37	Leanna A. & Hattie A. Hicks	106	200.00	3.26	4.08	3.25	4.09
38	Mabel A. Mosher	108	100.00	1.71	2.03	1.50	2.24
39	David D. Tripp Lot	109	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
40	Mary E. Tripp	111	50.00	84.61	2.69	.....	87.30
41	Abiatha Poole & Mary Grant	117 & 119	200.00	57.70	5.17	8.00	54.87
42	Gilbert Miller Est.	123	100.00	7.01	2.15	4.00	5.16
43	Willard W. Turner & Kate B. French	128	100.00	23.89	2.48	4.00	22.37
44	Mary E. White Est.	129	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
45	John Manchester	131	75.00	1.36	1.53	1.25	1.64
46	Willard M. Pettey	132	100.00	2.14	2.04	2.00	2.18
47	Charles H. Sisson Exr.	134	50.00	0.93	1.01	0.75	1.19
48	Mrs. T. V. B. Nye	134	50.00	0.90	1.01	0.75	1.16
49	Edward Tripp	143	100.00	3.76	2.07	.....	5.83
50	Edwin Case Lot	147	75.00	1.20	1.52	1.00	1.72
51	James H. Allen	150	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
52	J. A. Davis Lot	154	100.00	8.45	2.17	4.00	6.62

LINDEN GROVE CEMETERY — Continued

53	Mary T. Cornell Est.	156	200.00	112.51	6.27	5.00	113.78
54	Davoll Lot	160	100.00	13.13	2.27	6.00	9.40
55	Harriett O. Hambly	163	100.00	3.08	2.07	3.00	2.15
56	Carrie E. Mayo Lot	66	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
57	George A. Hathaway Lot	68	100.00	2.21	2.05	2.00	2.26
58	George H. Gifford Lot	130	100.00	1.65	2.03	1.50	2.18
59	John W. Howland Lot	77	75.00	1.15	1.52	1.00	1.67
60	Lucy Adams Lot	W. ½ of 144	50.00	0.87	1.01	0.75	1.13
61	Andrew M. Tripp Lot	127	150.00	2.57	3.04	2.50	3.11
62	Melvina F. Gifford	83	100.00	10.52	2.21	4.00	8.73
63	Roby A. Case Lot	53	100.00	6.70	2.13	4.00	4.83
64	William W. Whalon	149	50.00	0.85	1.01	0.75	1.11
65	Laura Macomber	112 & ½ of 113	100.00	10.88	2.21	6.00	7.09
66	Nathaniel T. Gifford	85	100.00	9.88	2.19	4.00	8.07
67	D. R. Tripp	157	150.00	14.97	3.29	4.00	14.26
69	George Freeloove Lot	133	100.00	1.55	2.03	1.50	2.08
70	Albert F. King Jr.	148 & 152	15.00	0.25	0.30	0.25	0.30
71	Charles Sisson Lot	102	200.00	27.14	4.56	4.00	27.70

72	George F. & Adelaide Lawton Lot	134	50.00	4.08	1.08	4.00	1.16
73	M. Ethel King Foster	148 & 152	60.00	1.32	1.22	1.25	1.29
74	Edwin P. Tripp	138	100.00	2.07	2.05	2.00	2.12
75	Philip H. Reed Lot	115	200.00	40.00	4.82	5.00	39.82
76	John W. Smith Lot	103	50.00	1.13	1.02	1.00	1.15
78	Mary Sherman Lot	1	250.00	260.88	10.25	11.00	260.13
79	Calvin J. Reynolds Lot	139	100.00	2.28	2.05	.....	4.33
80	Susannah T. Sanford	70	150.00	7.17	3.15	4.00	6.32
82	Gilbert Memorial Fund	55 & 57	300.00	9.82	6.21	8.00	8.03
83	Hannah M. Davis Lot	142	150.00	3.96	3.08	3.75	3.29
84	Zebedee E. Davis Lot	158	150.00	3.08	3.07	3.00	3.15
85	Est. Charles & Caroline M. Dana	7	200.00	4.23	4.10	4.00	4.33
86	Ida E. Tripp Est.	20	200.00	2.00	4.06	2.00	4.06
87	Thomas E. Borden Est.	167	75.00	.....	1.50	.....	1.50
88	George L. Brownell	W. ½ of 168	100.00	.....	0.83	.....	0.83
89	Ellis R. & Susan B. Tripp	E. ½ of 168	100.00	.....	0.83	.....	0.83
90	Byron B. & Mary E. Tripp	W. ½ of 169	100.00	0.83	0.83
91	Wilton A. & Ella Tripp	E. ½ of 169	100.00	0.83	0.83
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			\$9,315.00	\$888.38	\$198.21	\$199.00	\$887.59

WESTPORT POINT CEMETERY
William W. Brightman, Superintendent

Ledger Page	NAME OF DEPOSITOR	No.	Sec.	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1947	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1948
1	Alexander Groves Lot			\$50.00	\$3.40	\$1.06	\$2.00	\$2.46
2	Pardon Davis & Lydia A. Ball (2 Lots)			100.00	1.82	2.03	1.80	2.05
3	Pardon Case Lot			50.00	0.82	1.01	0.80	1.03
4	Alexander Hicks Lot			50.00	0.87	1.01	0.85	1.03
5	Isaac Cory Lot			50.00	0.77	1.01	0.75	1.03
6	Benjamin Gifford Lot			50.00	0.87	1.01	0.85	1.03
7	Abram Dyer Est.			75.00	4.62	1.59	2.50	3.71
8	Peirce & Isaac Tompkins Est.			75.00	2.77	1.55	2.00	2.32
9	Jeremiah Brightman Lot			100.00	12.03	2.25	5.00	9.28
10	Alfred C. Tripp Lot			50.00	0.86	1.01	0.85	1.02
11	Thomas Watkins Lot			100.00	27.68	2.55	5.00	25.23
12	Rufus W. Brightman Lot			50.00	0.88	1.01	0.85	1.04
13	Charles P. Sowle Lot			50.00	0.88	1.01	0.85	1.04
14	Horatio H. Brownell Lot			300.00	176.83	9.57	9.00	177.40

15	Cornelius Allen Lot	50.00	0.87	1.01	0.85	1.03
16	Edward G. Sowle Lot	100.00	1.72	2.03	1.70	2.05
17	Elias P. Brightman Lot	300.00	167.09	9.38	8.00	168.47
18	Simeon Macomber Lot	100.00	30.24	2.61	3.00	29.85
19	Capt. Elijah Robinson Lot	50.00	0.91	1.01	0.90	1.02
20	Alfred C. Davis	100.00	29.12	2.59	4.00	27.71
21	Lizzie C. Potter	50.00	0.87	1.01	0.85	1.03
22	James W. Manchester Lot	50.00	0.84	1.01	0.80	1.05
23	Restcome Macomber Lot	50.00	0.79	1.01	0.75	1.05
24	George A. Gifford Lot	75.00	5.70	1.61	2.00	5.31
25	Allen Tripp Lot	75.00	1.70	1.53	1.50	1.73
26	Frederick A. Wing Lot	100.00	10.01	2.21	3.25	8.97
27	Charles C. Hall Lot	100.00	4.05	2.09	3.00	3.14
28	Diana Cory Lot	100.00	7.13	2.15	3.00	6.28
29	Charles W. C. Hammond Lot	150.00	12.15	3.24	2.50	12.89
30	Thomas B. Earle Lot	100.00	16.87	2.34	2.50	16.71
31	Pardon Manchester Lot	50.00	0.86	1.01	0.85	1.02
32	Alexander Brightman Lot	50.00	5.19	1.10	1.50	4.79
33	George L. Manchester Lot	100.00	2.04	2.05	2.00	2.09

WESTPORT POINT CEMETERY — Continued

34	Gideon Allen Lot	100.00	2.25	2.05	2.00	2.30
35	Elihu Macomber Lot	100.00	9.05	2.19	2.50	8.74
36	Bethany Wood Lot	50.00	1.18	1.02	1.10	1.10
37	Zoath Howland Lot	50.00	1.08	1.02	1.00	1.10
38	William P. Howland Lot	100.00	7.01	2.15	2.00	7.16
39	Delia C. Lewin	50.00	2.12	1.04	1.00	2.16
40	Lydia W. Sowle	50.00	1.26	1.00	1.25	1.01
41	Asa B. Allen Lot	50.00	1.47	1.02	1.00	1.49
43	Earle C. Devoll Lot	100.00	3.56	2.07	2.00	3.63
44	William B. Hicks Est.	100.00	2.34	2.05	1.00	3.39
45	John G. Gammons Lot	50.00	0.17	1.00	1.17
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		\$3,700.00	\$564.74	\$85.27	\$90.90	\$559.11

PRIVATE BURIALS

Ledger Page	NAME OF DEPOSITOR	No.	Sec.	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1947	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1948
101	Henry Brightman Lot			\$100.00	\$1.54	\$2.03	\$1.54	\$2.03
102	Brownell Lot, F. J. Palmer Farm			300.00	4.61	6.11	4.61	6.11
103	Stephen K. Howland Lot			200.00	3.06	4.05	3.06	4.05
104	George Wing Lot, Susan F. Atwood Farm			100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
105	Green Allen Lot			500.00	9.84	10.23	9.84	10.23
106	William B. Hicks Lot			250.00	3.84	5.09	3.84	5.09
107	Silas Kirby Lot			100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
108	Sherman Burial Lot, Robert Sherman Farm			50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
109	Charles Sisson Lot			50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
110	Tripp Lot, Brownell Farm			100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
111	Ezekiel Brownell Lot			200.00	3.07	4.08	3.07	4.08
112	George Cook Brownell Lot			50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
113	David Sanford Burial Lot			50.00	24.27	1.49	.....	25.76

PRIVATE BURIALS — Continued

114	Rufus E. Wordell Lot, Macomber Corner	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
115	Rufus E. Wordell Lot, Macomber Corner	117.00	1.79	2.37	1.79	2.37
116	Walter S. Davis Lot	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
117	Jacob Allen Lot	300.00	4.61	6.11	4.61	6.11
118	Mathias E. Gammons Lot, W. Cornell Farm	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
119	William H. Gifford Lot, No. Westport	300.00	4.61	6.11	4.61	6.11
120	Mathias E. Gammons Lot, Drift Rd.	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
121	Certain Lots in Friends Burial Ground at Gifford's Corner	500.00	7.69	10.19	7.69	10.19
122	Holder White Burial Lot	75.00	1.14	1.51	1.14	1.51
123	James F. Tripp Lot	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01
124	Timothy C., James Allen & A. Wilcox Lots	700.00	11.98	14.28	11.98	14.28
125	Friends' Burial Lot, Central Village	200.00	3.07	4.08	3.07	4.08
126	Holder Wordell Lot	100.00	1.54	2.03	1.54	2.03
127	Graves of Reuben Davol and Mary Wordell and south corner	50.00	0.76	1.01	0.76	1.01

129	White Cemetery, John Smith Farm	200.00	4.10	4.10	4.10	4.10
130	Tripp Lot, Drift Road	200.00	3.07	4.08	3.07	4.08
131	Eli Walter Blossom Est.	200.00	6.52	4.14	4.50	6.16
132	Mark C. Gifford	50.00	2.88	1.05	3.93
133	Fred P. Mosher	200.00	2.00	4.06	2.00	4.06
134	Ruth M. & Gertrude L. Lawton	300.00
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		\$5,892.00	\$118.25	\$114.41	\$89.08	\$143.58

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,

Town Accountant.

ALEXANDER WALSH,

Treasurer.

PERMANENT LOANS - OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1947

Date of Issue	Date Due	% Rate	Purpose	Amount
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1948	2.50	High School Addition	\$1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1949	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1950	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1951	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1952	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1953	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1954	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1955	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Jan. 1, 1936	Jan. 1, 1956	2.50	High School Addition	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1948	2.25	Municipal Office Building	2,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1949	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1950	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1951	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1952	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1953	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00

PERMANENT LOANS — OUTSTANDING DECEMBER 31, 1947 — Continued

Date of Issue	Date Due	Rate	Purpose	Amount
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1954	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1955	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1956	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1957	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1938	Nov. 1, 1958	2.25	Municipal Office Building	1,000.00
				<u>\$21,000.00</u>

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,

Town Accountant

ALEXANDER WALSH,

Town Treasurer

TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Balance January 1, 1947	\$112,856.48
Receipts for 1947	426,128.49
Total	<hr/> \$538,984.97
Expenditures for 1947	430,563.36
Cash Balance January 1, 1948	<hr/> \$108,421.61
On deposit in Fall River National Bank	\$121,774.52
Cash and checks on hand	5,618.06
	<hr/> \$127,392.58
Less Outstanding Checks	18,970.97
	<hr/> \$108,421.61

No borrowings were made for any purpose in 1947.

ALEXANDER WALSH,

Town Treasurer

Examined and Approved.

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,

Town Accountant

TOWN ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

To the Board of Selectmen,
John A. Smith, Chairman,
Westport, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I submit herewith my nineteenth annual report of the accounts of the Town of Westport for the year ending December 31, 1947.

Very truly yours,

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,
Town Accountant

RECEIPTS

Taxes:

Current year	\$177,923.22	
Previous years	25,064.30	
M. V. Excise Tax 1942	4.00	
M. V. Excise Tax 1943	16.53	
M. V. Excise Tax 1944	77.06	
M. V. Excise Tax 1945	94.97	
M. V. Excise Tax 1946	524.37	
M. V. Excise Tax 1947	8,681.31	
Tax Titles	127.20	
Tax Title Possessions	456.00	
	-----	\$212,968.96

From State:

Income Tax	\$38,734.91	
Corporation Tax	12,761.72	
Meal Tax	2,428.66	
Tuition of State Wards	744.97	
	-----	54,670.26

Licenses:

Liquor	\$7,017.00	
Common Victuallers	150.00	
Sundry	270.00	
Junk	11.00	
Auto	70.00	
Concert	294.00	
Milk	19.50	
Scallop	5.00	
Shellfish	290.00	
Dance	35.00	
Cabin	2.00	
Alcohol	8.00	
Pasteurization	10.00	
Pool	7.00	
Peddlers	30.00	
Gasoline	8.00	
Garbage	63.50	
Gasoline Permits	4.50	
Horse Slaughter	1.00	
Hawkers and Peddlers	20.00	
Slaughter	6.00	
	-----	8,321.50

Fines:

Court	496.00
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Grants and Gifts:

Federal —	
George-Deen Fund	\$1,050.00
Smith Hughes Fund	355.89
George-Barden Fund	1,840.00

	3,245.89

State —

Industrial Schools	3,864.69
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Federal —		
Old Age		
Assistance	\$36,089.40	
Administration	1,371.52	
Aid to Dependent Children		
Assistance	4,068.26	
Administration	263.57	
	-----	41,792.75
Federal —		
School Survey and Building Plans		3,257.50
State —		
Shellfish Fund		390.00
From County:		
Dog Fund		1,090.67
Retirement Fund — from individuals:		
Paid to County		432.88
Dog Licenses:		
Paid to County		1,392.20
Other General Revenue:		
Advertise liquor licenses	\$54.00	
Advertise gasoline licenses	52.00	
Highway Fund	9,700.11	
Refund from Teachers' Annuities	78.84	
Reimbursement — Dog Officer	107.00	
Reimbursement — Landing		
Commissioners	298.40	
Reimbursement — Perpetual Care		
Funds	1,069.64	
Lightning Damage	1,015.00	
Tailings	102.25	
Mortgage — Old Age Assistance	200.00	
Rent of land	10.00	
Costs on taxes	279.25	
Refunds on 1946 Expenditures	126.50	
	-----	13,092.99

DEPARTMENTAL

General Government:

Town Clerk —		
Non-Alcoholic License	\$10.00	
Physician's Registration fee	.50	
Auctioneer's licenses	4.00	
Selectmen —		
Sale of Maps	1.80	
	<hr/>	16.30

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Dept. —		
Revolver permits	\$13.00	
Inspection of buildings —		
Fees	447.00	
Sealer of Weights and Measures —		
Fees	89.92	
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Health and Sanitation:

Tuberculosis —		
Health Subsidies	\$1,311.50	
Slaughter —		
Fees	1,258.05	
Nursing fees	160.00	
Dental fees	25.00	
	<hr/>	2,754.55

Highways and Bridges:

Chapter 90 — Maintenance:		
State	\$3,999.18	
County	3,999.18	
Chapter 90 — Construction:		
State	3,448.19	
County	1,724.09	
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Public Welfare:		
State	\$2,021.55	
Cities and Towns	915.62	
Individuals	108.10	
	-----	3,045.27
Aid to Dependent Children:		
State		4,300.88
Old Age Assistance:		
State	\$30,912.24	
Cities and Towns	1,178.67	
Individuals	92.40	
	-----	32,183.31
Soldiers' Benefits:		
State Aid		20.00
Schools:		
Tuition	\$21.00	
Transportation	97.50	
Rent of Auditorium	16.00	
	-----	134.50
Libraries:		
Fines		24.55
Unclassified:		
Land Rent in lieu of taxes		1,518.10
Cemeteries:		
Sale of Lots	\$310.00	
Care of Lots and Graves —		
Annual Care	131.00	
Fill grave	2.00	
Clean stones	6.00	
Interments	470.00	
Foundations	154.65	
Use of lowering device	8.00	
	-----	1,081.65

Interest:		
Taxes	\$1,098.79	
Tax Titles	9.67	
Bonds — Series G	632.50	
	-----	1,740.96
Agency, Investment and Trust:		
Agency —		
State Tax	\$4,750.00	
County Tax	12,409.19	
	-----	17,159.19
Trust:		
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds		2,226.50
Refunds:		
Highways and Bridges	\$33.20	
Public Welfare	12.00	
Old Age	383.57	
Aid to Dependent Children	38.00	
Old Age — U. S. Asst.	72.90	
Soldiers' Benefits	52.00	
Education	42.28	
Insurance	101.00	
Bonds — Series G	25.00	
Taxes — Previous years	75.20	
Taxes — Current year	331.60	
M. V. Excise Tax 1947	7.81	
Auto Licenses	10.00	
Interest	1.32	
	-----	1,185.88

Total Receipts		\$426,128.49
Balance January 1, 1947		112,856.48

		\$538,984.97

PAYMENTS

Legislative:

Moderator's salary	\$20.00
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Selectmen's Department:

Salary	\$1,500.00
Expenses —	
Clerical hire	364.00
Printing, stationery and postage	131.87
Travel expense and auto hire	220.07
Advertising	84.18
Association dues	31.00
	2,331.12

Accounting Department:

Salary	\$1,612.00
Expenses —	
Printing, stationery and postage	15.01
Travel expense and auto hire	19.90
Repair typewriter	15.00
	1,661.91

Treasury Department:

Salary	\$2,000.00
Expenses —	
Travel expense and auto hire	201.54
Printing, stationery and postage	851.41
Surety Bond	163.50
Recording instruments	
at Registry	98.00
Office equipment	222.90
Repair typewriter	15.00
Clerk hire	1.00
Dues	1.00
	3,554.35

Collector's Department:

Salary	\$2,000.00	
Expenses —		
Travel expense and auto hire	156.36	
Printing, stationery and postage	946.14	
Clerical hire	177.25	
Repair typewriter	9.50	
Surety Bond	245.00	
Office equipment	1.75	
Recording at Registry	11.00	
Advertising	14.90	
Dues	1.00	
	-----	3,562.90

State Auditing Tax 1,026.94

Assessors' Department:

Salaries	\$3,600.00	
Expenses —		
Clerical hire	416.00	
Printing, stationery and postage	92.62	
Travel expense and auto hire	159.50	
Lists of Conveyances	104.00	
Office equipment	137.25	
Recording deeds	25.00	
Association dues	6.00	
Repairing typewriter	20.00	
Attorney fees	35.00	
	-----	4,595.37

Landing Commissioners:

Salaries 45.00

Engineering:

Surveyor's services	\$169.79	
Signs	60.76	
	-----	230.55

Plotting:		
Surveyor's services		543.50
Law Department:		
Town Counsel		711.60
Town Clerk's Department:		
Salary	\$700.00	
Expenses —		
Printing, stationery and postage	90.38	
Surety Bond	7.50	
Clerical hire	78.50	
Travel expense	13.50	
Dues	3.00	
Advertising	27.89	
Repair typewriter	20.00	
	-----	940.77
Election and Registration:		
Wages —		
Registrars	\$1,109.00	
Election Officers	384.00	
Expenses —		
Printing, stationery and postage	184.96	
Constable services	64.00	
Auto hire	187.40	
Tellers	8.00	
Janitor's services	5.00	
Clerical hire	28.50	
	-----	1,970.86
Repairs to Municipal Office Building:		
Damage to roof and flagpole		357.87
Town Hall Maintenance:		
Salary —		
Janitor	\$1,560.00	
Expenses —		
Fuel	827.86	

Light	242.87	
Janitor's supplies	158.81	
Repairs	20.28	
Telephone	876.46	
Signs	3.20	
Advertising	19.17	
Inspect Boiler	5.00	
	-----	3,713.65

Paint Town Hall:

Contract:	600.00
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Dept.:

Salaries —		
Chief	\$2,756.00	
Regulars	9,486.00	
Wages —		
Reserves	981.05	
Expenses —		
Repairs	182.83	
Gasoline and oil	842.07	
Printing, stationery and postage	23.80	
Telephone	176.12	
Equipment	222.15	
Measuring Service — F.C.C.	20.00	
Radio service	120.00	
Tires and tubes	49.03	
Garage rent	36.00	
Outlay	75.00	
Convention expenses	12.50	
Laundry	5.72	
Supplies	3.12	
Association dues	5.00	
Prisoner's meals	3.00	
	-----	14,999.39

Purchase of Two-Way Radio		2,000.00
Purchase of Cruiser Car		800.00
Fire Department:		
Fuel and Light —		
Fuel	\$513.33	
Light	146.11	
Equipment and Repairs —		
Equipment	1,016.85	
Repairs	464.60	
Other Expenses —		
Gasoline and oil	184.25	
Grease	17.25	
Stationery	5.17	
Telephone	186.11	
Burner inspections	53.65	
Garage rent	192.00	
Dues	11.00	
Patrolling	63.10	
Medical Attendance	7.00	
Tire and tube	99.50	
Anti freeze	39.50	
	-----	2,999.42
Permanent Men:		
Salaries		5,012.00
Remuneration of Firemen:		
For fires other than forest fires		746.48
Forest Fires:		
Wages	\$690.00	
Expenses —		
Hose	210.00	
	-----	900.00
Insect Pest Extermination:		
Labor	\$361.00	

Truck hire	216.00	
Insecticides	207.00	
Repairs	98.40	
Gasoline and oil	25.50	
Printing	5.50	
	-----	913.40
Tree Warden:		
Labor	\$961.00	
Equipment	32.45	
Repairs	3.75	
	-----	997.20
Purchase of Hose		675.00
Dog Officer:		
Salary	\$150.00	
Fees	125.00	
	-----	275.00
Building Inspector:		
Salary	\$1,560.00	
Expenses —		
Travel expense	190.00	
	-----	1,750.00
Shellfish Constable:		
Salary	\$820.81	
Expenses	79.19	
	-----	900.00
Fish Commissioners:		
Salaries		15.00
Propagation of Shellfish:		
Seed Shellfish		288.75
Shellfish Fund — State:		
Seed Shellfish		193.50

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Services	\$160.00	
Expenses —		
Equipment	19.39	
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Health and Sanitation:

General Administration:

Salaries	\$600.00	
Expenses —		
Clerk hire	3.50	
Travel expense	10.82	
Supplies	10.75	
Advertising	1.40	

Other Expenses:

Bury Dog	1.00	
Signs	3.50	
Medical Supplies	35.01	
Substitute Nurse	192.00	
Dental Supplies	58.14	

Tuberculosis:

Board and treatment	1,039.50	
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Vital Statistics:

Birth returns	\$101.00	
Marriage returns	48.50	
Death returns	25.50	

School Children:

Examinations	65.00	
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Inspection:

Animals	131.50	
Slaughter	2,083.25	

Nurse:

Salary	1,699.75	
Transportation	717.92	

Refuse:

Tractor hire at dump	30.00	
	<hr/>	6,858.04

Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital:		
Maintenance		6,522.91
Mosquito Control Tax		1,200.00
Highways and Bridges:		
General Administration:		
Salary	\$2,280.00	
Expense —		
Supplies	2.00	
General Expenses:		
Wages	13,529.23	
Equipment and repairs	1,817.81	
Diesel oil	18.90	
Registration Plate	2.00	
Bulldozer hire	80.00	
Telephone	50.12	
Power (Electric)	195.53	
Current	67.93	
Lumber	173.18	
Cement	12.05	
Dynamite	7.00	
Coal	80.11	
Culvert	165.19	
Kerosene	45.50	
Tar	3,623.45	
Crusher repairs	30.75	
Truck Maintenance:		
Equipment and Repairs	\$1,442.32	
Gasoline and oil	2,024.05	
Tires and tubes	585.62	
Grease	45.00	
	-----	26,277.74
Chapter 90, Maintenance:		
Wages	\$1,374.35	
Tar	4,498.35	

Lumber	125.00	
	-----	5,997.70
Chapter 90, Construction:		
Wages	\$2,527.00	
Tar	1,450.92	
	-----	3,977.92
Purchase of Truck		3,500.00
Tar and Gravel Center St.:		
Wages	\$951.08	
Tar	448.92	
	-----	1,400.00
Repairs to Mathews St.:		
Culvert	\$119.48	
Labor	180.52	
	-----	300.00
Tar and Gravel Grove St.:		
Labor	\$33.38	
Tar	166.62	
	-----	200.00
Widen Main Road:		
Wages	\$821.94	
Tar	621.92	
	-----	1,443.86
Widen C. Chester Gifford's Corner:		
Labor	\$126.00	
Pipe, frame and grate	96.40	
Lumber	28.89	
Brick	43.12	
	-----	294.41
Repairs to Crane St.:		
Labor	\$278.00	
Dynamite	7.50	
	-----	285.50

Repairs to Berryman St.:		
Labor		486.00
Dredging Mud Dock		700.00
Drawtender:		
Salary		150.00
Harbor Master:		
Salary		150.00
Street Lights:		
Contract		3,122.60
Public Landings:		
Point —		
Dredging	\$73.40	
Gravel	15.00	
Cement work	147.00	
Head —		
Labor	28.00	
Team	35.00	
	-----	298.40
Park and Reservation Tax		234.01

CHARITIES

Public Welfare:

General Administration:

Salaries —

Board Members	\$340.50
Agent	411.08
Clerk	269.10

Expenses —

Transportation	64.13
Equipment	.35
Repair typewriter	2.73
Telephone	.50
Dues	.61
Printing, stationery and postage	23.69

Outside Relief by Town:

Groceries	1,199.99
Fuel	584.63
Board and care	833.37
Medicine and Medical	
Attendance	1,624.63
Cash grants	2,799.50
Shoes and rubbers	34.19
Burial	80.00
Clothing	8.49

Relief by Other Cities and Towns:

Cities	1,013.56
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Infirmery:

Superintendent —	
Care of Inmates	2,169.73

Expenses —

Dry goods and clothing	43.81
Repairs	496.59
Fuel and light	650.94
Telephone	55.87
Laundry	32.46
Medical attendance	163.10
Equipment	144.75
Outlay	40.31
Tobacco	3.96
Kerosene	10.20
Barber	12.60

----- 13,115.37

Old Age Assistance — Town:

Cash Grant	\$44,160.75
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Other Cities and Towns —

Cities	257.07
Towns	160.07

----- 44,577.89

Old Age Assistance — Town Adm.:

Salaries —

Board Members	\$307.51
Agent	1,072.60
Clerk	672.52

Expenses —

Transportation	\$163.50
Postage and stationery	88.88
Repairs to typewriter	16.17
Dues	1.08

----- 2,322.26

Aid to Dependent Children — Town:

Cash Grants	10,990.26
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Aid to Dependent Children — Town Adm.:

Salaries —

Board Members	\$45.73
Agent	179.98
Clerk	111.83

Expenses —

Transportation	25.08
Postage and stationery	3.31
Repairs	2.10
Dues	.31

----- 368.34

Old Age Assistance — U. S. Asst.:

Cash Grants	36,089.40
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Old Age Assistance — U. S. Adm.:

Salaries —

Board Members	\$179.40
Agent	584.06
Clerk	363.99

Expenses —

Postage and stationery	16.90
Transportation	94.10
Telephone	.55

----- 1,239.00

Aid to Dependent Children — U. S. Asst.:	
Cash Grants	3,740.74

Aid to Dependent Children — U. S. Adm.:

Salaries —		
Board Members	\$26.86	
Agent	74.56	
Clerk	45.56	
Expenses —		
Postage and supplies	8.29	
Office equipment	56.30	
Transportation	11.79	
	-----	223.36

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS AND VETERANS' SERVICES

General Administration:

Salary	\$1,560.00
Expenses —	
Transportation	300.00
Office equipment	130.82
Postage and stationery	51.52

Relief:

Cash Grants	1,391.40	
Medicine and Medical		
Attendance	219.00	
Clothing	32.52	
	-----	3,685.26

SCHOOLS

Education:

General Administration:

School Committee Expense	\$280.22
Superintendent's salary	970.08

Clerk's salary	1,622.40
Supervisor of attendance	140.00
Printing, stationery and postage	118.30
Travel expense	446.32
Teachers' Salaries:	
High	15,999.69
Elementary	50,815.29
Textbooks and Supplies:	
High —	
Textbooks	329.50
Supplies	1,145.41
Elementary —	
Textbooks	496.01
Supplies	1,833.00
Transportation:	
High	2,725.52
Elementary	11,234.90
Janitors' Services:	
High	1,642.04
Elementary	6,936.85
Fuel and Light:	
High	1,060.10
Elementary	2,682.52
Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:	
High	
Repairs	536.93
Janitors' supplies	25.60
Elementary —	
Repairs	3,890.89
Janitors' supplies	138.39
Other Expenses:	
Telephone	226.53

New Equipment and Outlay	688.55	
Miscellaneous expense of operation	1,228.12	
Protection of Health:		
Physician's salary	366.64	
Nurse's salary	1,192.45	
Nurse's transportation	270.00	
Medical supplies	25.44	
Insurance	8.62	
Supplies	33.41	
Periodical	5.00	
	-----	109,114.72
Household Arts:		
Salaries —		
Teachers and Janitor	\$2,705.49	
Transportation	559.50	
Other expenses —		
Periodicals	9.00	
Textbooks	10.44	
Supplies	133.24	
Replacements	28.20	
Repairs	72.33	
Janitor's supplies	7.03	
Fuel	90.15	
	-----	3,615.38
Agricultural:		
Salary —		
Teachers	\$2,785.07	
Transportation	555.42	
Other expenses —		
Fuel	80.79	
Current	17.98	
Supplies	8.58	
Replacement	1.25	
	-----	3,449.09

General Vocational:

Salaries —

Teachers \$764.29

Transportation 129.60

Expenses —

Fuel 85.36

Current 24.06

Supplies 13.80

Replacements 37.72

----- 1,054.83

Continuation and Out-of-Town

Vocational:

Tuition 1,211.10

George-Deen Fund:

Salaries 1,038.85

Smith-Hughes Fund:

Salaries 355.89

High School Auditorium:

Janitor's services 9.00

George-Barden Fund:

Salaries 1,160.00

Modernizing and Repairing Head School:

Plumbing \$4,056.92

Ventilation 709.43

Labor and Material 1,832.75

Equipment and Outlay 729.40

Architect fees 260.87

Truck hire 2.50

----- 7,591.87

School Survey and Building Plans:

Surveyor's services 737.15

Teachers' Annuities:

Refunds to teachers 78.84

Repairs to Pumphouse 83.40

LIBRARIES

Free Public Library:

Librarian's services	\$125.97	
Books and periodicals —		
Books	362.28	
Periodicals	10.75	
	-----	499.00

Westport Public Library:

Heat, Light and Rent		125.00
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Westport Point Library:

Heat, Light and Rent		125.00
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UNCLASSIFIED

Legion Hall Maintenance:

Repairs	\$62.43	
Fuel	13.50	
Current	14.10	
Batteries	5.41	
	-----	95.44

Improvements to Legion Hall:

Equipment		147.30
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Memorial Day:

Food	\$45.78	
Flowers	20.00	
Supplies	3.75	
Sound Car	6.00	
Transportation	40.00	
Band	75.00	
	-----	190.53

Unclassified Bills:

Town reports and printing	\$686.41	
Finance Committee Assoc. Dues	10.00	
Honor Roll Coupon	.65	
	-----	697.06

Insurance:

Compensation	\$638.17	
Trucks and Cruiser Car	847.19	
Robbery	83.13	
Burglary	66.00	
Group Policy on Buildings	1,280.00	
Firemen	175.00	
Police	300.00	
Infirmary	127.40	
	-----	3,516.89

V. F. W. Headquarters:

Rent	80.00
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Welcome Home Day:

Paid out for Prizes	100.00
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Refund on Corporation Tax 1946	.04
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CEMETERIES

Beech Grove:

General Administration —

Superintendent's salary	\$1,560.00
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Expenses —

Stationery	5.75
Clerical hire	3.50

General Expenses —

Labor	556.71
Gasoline and oil	80.67
Equipment	87.06
Repairs	66.59
Tires and Tubes	33.91
Fertilizer	7.88
Supplies	22.41
Anti-freeze	3.98
Garage Rent	30.00
Team hire	21.00
Cement	19.40

Re-Dye Mat	20.79	
Preparing Deeds	15.00	
	-----	2,534.65
Care of Soldiers' and Sailors'		
Graves and Lots:		
Registration Officer's Services	\$25.00	
Labor	203.25	
Markers	37.00	
Flags	65.50	
	-----	330.75
Income - Cemetery Trust Funds:		
Beech Grove	\$372.41	
Maple Grove	318.25	
Linden Grove	199.00	
Westport Point	90.90	
Private Burials	89.08	
	-----	1,069.64

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Interest:

General Loans -

High School Addition	\$250.00	
Municipal Office Building	315.00	
	-----	565.00

Municipal Indebtedness:

General Loans -

High School Addition	\$2,000.00	
Municipal Office Building	2,000.00	
	-----	4,000.00

AGENCY AND TRUST

Agency:

State Tax	\$4,750.00	
County Tax	12,409.19	
	-----	17,159.19
Dog Licenses -		
To County		1,420.60

Bristol County Retirement Fund —		
To County Association		432.88
Trust:		
Cemetery Perpetual Care Funds —		
Bequests		2,226.50
Investment:		
Post War Bonds	\$25,000.00	
Interest on Bonds	300.00	
	-----	25,300.00
Refunds:		
Highways and Bridges	\$33.20	
Public Welfare	12.00	
Old Age Assistance	383.57	
Aid to Dependent Children	38.00	
Old Age — U. S. Asst.	72.90	
Soldiers' Benefits	52.00	
Education	42.28	
Insurance	101.00	
Bonds, Series G	25.00	
Taxes — Previous years	75.20	
Taxes — Current years	331.60	
M. V. Excise Tax 1947	7.81	
Auto Licenses	10.00	
Interest	1.32	
	-----	1,185.88

Total Payments		\$430,563.36
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1947		108,421.61

		\$538,984.97

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,
Town Accountant

WILLIAM B. HICKS EST. MEMORIAL FUND

Westport Point Library

For Purchase of Non-Fiction Books

NAME OF DEPOSITOR	Deposit	Available Jan. 1, 1947	Dividends	Expended	Available Jan. 1, 1948
William B. Hicks Est.	\$500.00	\$11.74	\$10.27	.....	\$22.01

ALEXANDER WALSH,
Treasurer

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,
Town Accountant.

POST WAR REHABILITATION FUND

Invested in Bonds	\$25,300.00
Appropriated by Town and invested by Treasurer in 1947	25,000.00
Interest amounting to \$632.50 received of which \$300.00 has been invested by Treasurer	300.00
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	\$50,600.00

ALEXANDER WALSH,
Treasurer

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,
Town Accountant.

BALANCE SHEET — December 31, 1947

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS			LIABILITIES		
Cash		\$108,421.61	Dog Licenses—to County		\$ 20.60
Accounts Receivable:			Mortgage of T. A. Petty — Old Age Assistance		200.00
Personal Tax 1941 — A. C. Wood, Coll.	\$ 3.56		Tailings Account		1,095.38
Personal Tax 1942	" "	179.51	Rehabilitation Fund — Interest on Bond		345.00
Poll Tax 1942	" "	20.00	Sale of Property		2,683.70
Real Estate Tax 1943	" "	32.75	Sale of Beulah School		1,450.00
Personal Tax 1943	" "	381.41	Sale of Cemetery Lots		1,313.00
Poll Tax 1943	" "	60.00	Revenue Reserved until Collected :		
Real Estate Tax 1944	" "	20.52	M. V. Excise	\$1,526.74	
Personal Tax 1944	" "	550.00	Tax Title	5,046.96	
Poll Tax 1944	" "	42.00	Departmental	2,487.40	
Real Estate Tax 1945	" "	404.91			9,061.10
Personal Tax 1945	" "	808.38			
Poll Taxes 1945	" "	60.00			
Real Estate Tax 1946	" "	8,417.09			
Personal Tax 1946	" "	1,532.55	Overlay reserved for abatement of taxes:		
Poll Tax 1946	" "	104.00	Levy 1943	\$476.16	
Real Estate Tax 1947	" "	24,649.54	Levy 1944	612.52	
Personal Tax 1947	" "	3,677.10	Levy 1945	388.63	
Poll Tax 1947	" "	264.00	Levy 1946	486.73	
		\$41,207.32			
M. V. Excise Tax 1942	" "	\$16.08			1,964.04

M. V. Excise Tax 1943	"	"	75.39	
M. V. Excise Tax 1944	"	"	96.40	
M. V. Excise Tax 1945	"	"	145.65	
M. V. Excise Tax 1946	"	"	238.88	
M. V. Excise Tax 1947	"	"	954.34	
			<hr/>	1,526.74
Tax Titles			\$2,060.71	
Tax Title Revenue			2,986.26	
			<hr/>	5,046.96
Departmental:				
Health and Sanitation		\$	4.28	
Slaughter Fees			183.25	
Public Welfare			13.48	
Aid to Dependent Children			1,637.34	
Soldiers' Benefits and Veterans' Services			388.70	
School			52.15	
Cemetery			208.20	
			<hr/>	2,487.40
Overlay Deficits — to be raised by Assessors:				
Levy 1942		\$	2.00	
Levy 1947			830.25	
			<hr/>	832.25
			<hr/>	\$159,522.28

Unexpended Balances to 1948:

Repairs to Municipal Office Building	\$ 657.13
Platting 1946	456.50
Platting 1947	1,000.00
Propagation of Shellfish	136.25
Shellfish Fund — State	196.50
Dump — Precinct A	100.00
Tar and Gravel—Crane Street	814.50
Tar and Gravel—Berryman Street	1,014.00
Widen C. Chester Gifford's Corner	305.59
Layouts under Article 15	1,000.00
Old Age Asst.—U. S. Adm.	177.97
A. D. C.—U. S. Asst.	342.00
A. D. C.—U. S. Adm.	71.59
George-Borden Fund	680.00
George-Deen Fund	13.28
George-Deen Fund	71.15
School Survey and Building Plans	5,137.85
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	12,174.31
Overestimated State Tax:	
Park and Reservation	86.46
Overlay Surplus	1,562.39
Excess and Deficiency	127,566.30
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	\$159,522.28

FINANCIAL TABLE FOR THE YEAR 1947

	Overdrafts to 1947	Balances to 1947	Appropriations	Receipts	Transfers Cr.	Transfers Dr.	Expenditures	Balances to Revenue	Balances to 1948
General Government:									
Moderator, salary			\$ 20.00				\$ 20.00		
Selectmen, salary and expenses			2,350.00				2,331.12	\$ 18.88	
Assessors, salary and expenses			4,600.00				4,595.37	4.63	
Treasurer, salary and expenses			3,700.00				3,554.35	145.65	
Collector, salary and expenses			3,700.00				3,562.90	137.10	
Accountant, salary and expenses			1,662.00				1,661.91	.09	
Law Department			711.60				711.60		
Town Clerk, salary and expenses			1,100.00				940.77	159.23	
Engineering			250.00				230.55	19.45	
Election and Registration			1,800.00		* \$199.00	* \$28.14	1,970.86		
Town Hall, maintenance			3,350.00		* 385.00	* 21.35	3,713.65		
Painting Town Hall		\$600.00					600.00		
Repairs to Municipal Office Building					oo 1,015.00		357.87		\$ 657.13
Plotting 1946		1,000.00					543.50		456.50
Plotting 1947			1,000.00						1,000.00
Landing Commissioners, salary			45.00				45.00		
Protection of Persons and Property:									
Police Department, salary and expenses			15,000.00				14,999.39	.61	
Two-way Radio—Police Dept.			2,000.00				2,000.00		
Purchase of Cruiser Car		800.00					800.00		
Fire Department, maintenance			3,000.00		36.00		3,035.42	.58	
Permanent Men and Remuneration of Firemen			5,800.00			36.00	5,722.48	41.52	
Purchase of Hose			700.00				675.00	25.00	
Forest Fires			900.00				900.00		
Moth Department			925.00				913.40	11.60	
Tree Warden			1,000.00				997.20	2.80	
Building Inspector, salary and expenses			1,750.00				1,750.00		
Sealer of Weights and Measures			200.00				179.39	20.61	
Dog Officer, salary and fees			275.00				275.00		
Shellfish Constable, salary and expense			900.00				900.00		
Propagation of Shellfish		425.00					288.75		136.25

Shellfish Fund—State		** \$390.00		193.50		196.50
Fish Commissioners, salary	15.00			15.00		
Health and Sanitation	9,000.00			6,858.04	2,141.96	
Bristol County Tuberculosis Hospital	6,522.91			6,522.91		
Mosquito Control Tax	1,200.00			1,200.00		
Dump—Precinct A	100.00					100.00
Highways and Bridges, maintenance	26,300.00	33.20		26,310.94	22.26	
Chapter 90—Maintenance 1947	2,000.00	/ 3,998.46		5,997.70	.76	
Chapter 90—Maintenance 1946	\$3,999.87	/ 3,999.90			.03	
Chapter 90—Construction	618.45	/ 5,172.28		3,977.92	575.91	
Repairs to Mathews Street	300.00			300.00		
Tar and Gravel Grove Street	200.00			200.00		
Tar and Gravel Center Street	1,400.00			1,400.00		
Tar and Gravel Crane Street	1,100.00			285.50		814.50
Tar and Gravel Berrymans Street	1,500.00			486.50		1,014.00
Widen Corner at C. Chester Gifford's	600.00			294.41		305.59
Tar and Gravel Main Road	1,443.86			1,443.86		
Layouts under Article 15	1,000.00					1,000.00
Dredging Mud Dock	700.00			700.00		
Purchase of Truck Highway Dept.	3,500.00			3,500.00		
Street Lights	3,150.00			3,122.60	27.40	
Drawtender—salary	150.00			150.00		
Harbor Master—salary	150.00			150.00		
Public Welfare	13,820.00	12.00	2.19	13,129.56	704.63	
Old Age Assistance	44,100.00	383.57	* 500.00	44,961.46		
Old Age Asst.—Town Adm.	2,325.00			2,320.32	2.74	
Aid to Dependent Children	12,380.00	38.00		11,028.26	1,389.74	
Aid to Dependent Children—Town Adm.	370.00		.25	368.09	1.66	
Old Age Assistance—U. S. Asst.		// 36,089.40				
Old Age Assistance—U. S. Adm.	45.48	72.90		36,162.30		
Aid to Dependent Children—U. S. Asst.	14.48	// 1,371.52		1,239.00		177.97
Aid to Dependent Children—U. S. Adm.	31.38	// 4,068.26		3,740.74		342.00
Soldiers' Benefits and Veterans' Services	6,000.00	// 283.57		223.36		71.59
		52.00		3,737.26	2,314.74	
		42.28	* 272.95			
Education	117,877.40	o 340.67	* 500.00	9,330.40	109,157.00	
Household Arts			3,615.38		3,615.38	
Agricultural			3,449.09		3,449.09	

FINANCIAL TABLE FOR THE YEAR 1947 - Continued

Vocational Education			1,211.10		1,211.10				
General Vocational			1,060.83		1,060.83				
High School Auditorium					9.00	41.00			
Smith-Hughes Fund	50.00		// 355.89		355.89				
George-Barden Fund			// 1,840.00		1,160.00			680.00	
George-Deen Fund	13.28							13.28	
George-Deen Fund	60.00		// 1,050.00		1,038.85			71.15	
Modernization and Repairs Head School	7,591.87				7,591.87				
Mass. Teachers' Retirement Fund			8.00		8.00				
Refund to Kate Rogers									
Refund to Julia K. Vaughan			70.84		70.84				
Teachers' Annuities Fund									
Repairs to Pumphouse	90.00				83.40	6.60			
School Survey and Building Plans	2,617.50		// 3,257.50		737.15		5,137.85		
Free Public Library			o 500.00		499.00	1.00			
Westport Public Library			o 125.00		125.00				
Westport Point Library			o 125.00		125.00				
Unclassified Bills	700.00				697.06	2.94			
Memorial Day	225.00				190.53	34.47			
Insurance	3,750.00	101.00			3,617.89	233.11			
V. F. W. Headquarters, maintenance	200.00				80.00	120.00			
Legion Hall, maintenance	100.00				95.44	4.56			
Improvements to Legion Hall	148.75				147.30	1.45			
Welcome Home Day				100.00	100.00				
Beech Grove Cemetery	2,450.00			* 85.50	* .85	2,534.65			
Care of Soldiers' & Sailors' Graves & Lots	330.75				330.75				
Interest	600.00				565.00	35.00			
Maturing Debt	4,000.00				4,000.00				
	<u>\$4,618.32</u>	<u>\$18,381.57</u>	<u>\$321,404.66</u>	<u>\$63,761.24</u>	<u>\$12,159.09</u>	<u>\$9,713.99</u>	<u>\$380,950.23</u>	<u>\$8,249.71</u>	<u>\$12,174.31</u>

* Reserve Fund
/ State and County
• // Federal

o Dog Fund
oo Insurance
** State

ELMER B. MANCHESTER, JR.,

Town Accountant

ANNUAL SCHOOL REPORT



Town of Westport
Massachusetts

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SCHOOL CALENDAR 1947-1948

High School—Open A. M., Wednesday, September 3, 1947.

Elementary Schools—Open A. M., Monday, September 8, 1947.

High School will operate at least 180 days.

All other schools will operate at least 160 days.

VACATIONS

All Schools: December 19, 1947, P. M., to January 5, 1948, A. M. April 16, 1948, P. M., to April 26, 1948, A. M.

Grades 1-8: February 20, 1948, P. M., to March 1, 1948, A. M.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

October 13, 31, November 10, 11, 27, 28, February 23, March 26, May 31, and all Saturdays.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1948-1949

All Schools—Open A. M., Wednesday, September 8, 1948.

High School will operate at least 180 days.

All other schools will operate at least 160 days.

VACATIONS

All Schools: December 23, 1948, Noon, to January 3, 1949, A. M. April 14, 1949, P. M., to April 25, 1949, A. M.

Grades 1 - 8: February 18, 1949, P. M. to February 28, 1949, A. M.

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS

October 11, 12, 29, November 11, 25, 26, February 21, 22, May 30, and all Saturdays.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE POLICY RELATIVE TO
CLOSING SCHOOLS BECAUSE OF
WEATHER CONDITIONS

"No School" Signals

"No School" signals will go out over the radio starting at 7:00 A. M. They may cover Grades 1-8 or all the schools.

WPRO—Providence

WSAR—Fall River

WNBH—New Bedford

Parents are in the best position to determine if weather conditions and the health of their children make it advisable to have them attend. When attendance is poor because of weather conditions, no advanced work will be presented by the teachers.

SCHOOL DIRECTORY, JANUARY 1, 1948
THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

<i>Members</i>	<i>Residence</i>	<i>Term Expires</i>
Philip Manchester	Westport Harbor (Old Rd.)	1948
Roger M. Acheson	So. Westport (Horseneck Rd.)	1949
Brayton Morton	Westport Point (Cornell Rd.)	1949
C. Arnold Gifford	Central Village (Main Rd.)	1950
Frederick L. Tripp	Westport (Main Rd.)	1950

Chairman—Philip Manchester

Secretary—Roger M. Acheson

ORGANIZATION OF COMMITTEE

Regular meetings of the Committee are held on the second Monday evening of each month, at 8:00 o'clock, in the School Committee Room at the Town Office Building.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Milton E. Earle, Westport Point—Tel. 118-4

Office—Town Office Building—Tel. 222

Office Hours—By Appointment

Clerk to the Superintendent and School Committee

Ruth M. Collins

Hours: 9:00 A. M.—4:00 P. M., School Days

ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR

Miss Audrey L. Tripp, Westport—Tel. 46-21

Office Hours—By Appointment

SUPERVISOR OF ATTENDANCE

Charles Dean—Tel. 77

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Thomas Paull, M. D., Westport Point

SCHOOL NURSE

Mrs. Lydia A. Mason, R. N.—Swansea

Tel. Fall River 2-8634

January 28, 1948

Voted:

That the reports of the Elementary Supervisor and the Superintendent of Schools, as herein printed, shall be the report of the School Committee for the year ending December 31, 1947.

REPORT OF ELEMENTARY SUPERVISOR

Mr. Milton E. Earle,
Superintendent of Schools,
Westport, Massachusetts

My dear Mr. Earle:

The following is my report for the year 1947.

Three changes took place among the teaching personnel in the elementary schools during the past year.

Mrs. Edna Branch, a former teacher in the Fairhaven schools, and a substitute in our elementary grades for a number of years, was appointed to teach grades 3 and 4 at the Point School. She replaced Miss Kate Rogers who resigned to accept the position of Elementary Supervisor in West Newbury, Massachusetts.

Miss Dorothy M. Boerner, a 1947 graduate of the State Teachers College at Worcester, was named teacher of social studies in grades 7 and 8 at the Factory School.

Miss Mary O'Neil was assigned to teach grade 6 at Greenwood Park School.

School population showed no appreciable gain in total number enrolled. The largest number of pupils is now found in grade 4.

The Curriculum Guide for Primary Grade Teachers was made available to every teacher in grades 1-3 in September. At the present time most of the teachers are using the guide as a supplement to their regular classroom teaching. I hope that, with the help of the State Dept. of Education, a sectional meeting can be arranged in this vicinity so that our teachers, as well as those in surrounding towns, may get

first hand instruction and advice from the makers of and contributors to this guide, so that it may be used with intelligence and confidence.

We are still unable to secure a supervisor in the fields of vocal music, art and physical education. Consequently, these subjects continue to be neglected in some of the grades.

Another definite need along instructional lines is a program of audio-visual aids in the elementary schools. That classroom teaching can be made more effective through their use, when correlated with the subject matter taught, is obvious. A sound projector for use in the elementary schools, as well as a film-strip machine for each school are requested for such a program.

Progress is being made in Instrumental Music through the efforts of Mr. Frank P. Gonsalves, Director. Mr. Gonsalves and his assistants have been offering music lessons in the basic instruments to pupils at Booth's Corner School, Factory School, Greenwood Park School and Head School, as well as the High School. I hope that the pupils in the remaining elementary schools will receive the benefit of such instruction before this year is over. In addition, Mr. Gonsalves has started school orchestras in the schools already mentioned. A creditable musical program was given at the high school auditorium last May and we hope that a similar program will be presented this year.

Mr. Gonsalves cooperated with the Westport Teachers' Association in presenting the Schubert Orchestra to parents and friends of Westport pupils in December. A collection taken at the performance will be used to start a fund for the purchase of musical instruments to be loaned to Westport pupils. Public response to this venture is gratifying and I hope that this worthwhile project will be carried on as a cooperative activity between the community and the teachers.

Our school health program has been tremendously improved by the appointment of a full time school nurse. Mrs. Lydia Mason of Swansea was appointed to this position in September.

Mrs. Mason has attacked the immediate health problems of the elementary schools intelligently and expeditiously, and her actual accomplishments have been many in the three months of 1947.

Because of her background of social work, as well as her experience in the school nursing field, she has been especially competent in interpreting the health needs of the pupil to the parent. She has also acquainted the administrators of the school system with better methods of dealing with some of our health problems.

Among ideas for consideration which Mrs. Mason has offered, her suggestion which follows is especially pertinent to the needs of Westport:

"Although the Superintendent is responsible for the activities within the school system and all school nursing must have the approval of the Superintendent and the Principal under whom it is administered, no single person should be solely responsible for the health program in the schools. It should be a cooperative project of a Committee usually known as a Health Council. These "Health Councils" are usually composed of members who have an awareness of the health situation and needs of the community. The functions of such a Committee are to study the health program, practices and needs of all schools. These plans should have the approval of the Superintendent and he should assign the individual responsibilities".

Somerset is already operating the health program of the schools under a similar plan and other communities are considering the adoption of such a policy.

Elementary teachers indicated their intention of attempting to improve their teaching services by participating in the following courses in 1947:

A course in "Problems of Elementary School Principals" given at Boston University in Boston on Monday evenings during the months of February, March and April was attended by five principals and vice-principals.

Seventeen elementary teachers took the course "Improvement of Reading Instruction" (Miss Elizabeth V. Foster, Director, Teacher Training, State Teachers College at Worcester, Instructor), which was held at the Greenwood Park School last Spring and was also attended by Dartmouth and New Bedford teachers.

"Widening Horizons", a series of lectures for social and professional betterment, sponsored by the Fall River School Dept., was attended by six Westport teachers.

All elementary teachers were given a "Visiting Day" last May. School systems visited had been recommended as doing an outstanding job in "educating for living". The purpose of this visit was to enable our teachers to gain ideas for improving pupil-teacher relationships, and to discover new and approved practices which we could apply to our own classrooms. Observations brought forth considerable controversy. On one point, however, there was general agreement. In reporting on reactions to this visit, nearly every teacher pointed out that our pupils are not provided with the physical facilities and the instructional materials which are considered necessities in most communities. Until the school plant as a whole is improved in this respect, the teachers have little opportunity to attempt to utilize the acceptable and practical phases of an activity program.

"What the best and wisest parent wants for his own child, that must the community want for all its children". This expression of Dewey's philosophy should serve well as an ideal to guide our course of action in any matter which concerns the education of the children of Westport.

Respectfully submitted,

AUDREY L. TRIPP

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee of the Town of Westport

Gentlemen:

In accordance with custom I submit the fifty-fifth in the series of annual reports of the school superintendents of this town.

FINANCIAL SUMMARY 1947

School Funds—Local Sources		\$118,718.07
Expended		118,445.12
	Balance	<u>\$272.95</u>
Total State Reimbursements Due in 1947		\$ 21,641.76
(\$11,200 on Account of Transportation, Legislative Action of 1947)		
Net Cost of Schools (local taxes)		\$ 96,803.36
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Federal Grants Applied to Vocational Salaries		\$ 2,554.74
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Head School Account	Expended	<u>\$7,591.87</u>
		No Balance

Pump House Repair Account	Expended	\$ 83.40
	Balance	\$ 6.60
Auditorium Account (Community Use)	Expended	\$ 9.00
	Balance	\$ 41.00

TEACHER PROBLEM

We had several teacher changes during the last half of the calendar year but, due to salary increases, we believe that we have lost nothing and may have profited through the turn-over. We employed one 1947 graduate from a Massachusetts Teachers College and three high school teachers from out of the State. Our salary schedule continues to remain one of the lowest in this section of New England and we can scarcely hope to interest many Massachusetts candidates of the type which any conscientious school administrator desires for the system which he represents.

The cost of living has continued to go up; labor in this area has again received pay increases, and teachers are requesting school committees to do all they can to help them out. I believe their requests are justifiable and that Westport should do all that it can to hold its own during this inflationary period.

HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

At the High School we have discontinued the General Vocational Department, but the shop work has been con-

tinued as a part of the Vocational Agricultural Department and is receiving substantial Federal and State Aid.

We have been able to consolidate our program into six class periods of 50 minutes each in the school day and I am convinced that more real study and better general results have followed. As has been the case for years, our high school day is much too long for a small school and a restricted program. Some of our youngsters arrive at 8:00 A. M. and do not leave until 4:00 P. M. and it is a seven hour day for those with the best bus schedules. Now that the State is providing liberal aid for transportation I believe I am justified in recommending that, if at all possible, starting next fall, we close High School at 2:15 P. M., having all the buses leave the building at that time. State Aid should cover the greater part of any additional cost. The regular school program would not be curtailed and those who do not plan to remain for athletic activities can get home where their help is often needed.

One of our 1947 graduates entered the University of Massachusetts last fall and is doing well to date. Our veterans continue to return and file applications for admission to college. One veteran graduated from Dartmouth College last summer and another will graduate from Duke this June.

PROMOTION OF HEALTH

This year we have a full-time nurse, and Mrs. Mason is doing excellent work. I believe the additional time will pay real dividends. The Board of Health re-opened the Dental

Clinic, and held a Diphtheria Toxin-anti-toxin Clinic this fall. I commend and thank them for this excellent cooperation.

THE SCHOOL PLANT

The heating and plumbing at the Head School has been completed. This building now needs to be painted inside and out, and to have legal locks and door checks, to be in excellent condition.

Inside painting is needed in all our buildings and many doors need replacing when new are available. Locks and door checks must be renewed to meet the requirements of the State Building Inspector.

The North Westport School is so laid out that it can never be listed as a clean, sanitary plant until it is oil-fired and has a modern toilet system. I recommend that an oil burner be installed before school opens next September.

More playground room is needed at the Greenwood Park School for use not only during school hours but for general community purposes. I am pleased to note that the School Committee is recommending the purchase of adjacent land.

These recommendations do not conflict with the general program for school plant expansion advised in the survey. Our present plant will be needed for some time.

The architects employed by the School Committee have completed their preliminary studies, and the general layout

of a high school building meeting the needs of Westport has been determined. Detailed drawings and specifications await the securing of a site. At two special town meetings an effort has been made to purchase land between the Town Office Building and the present High School. At each of these meetings a majority has voted in favor of the purchase but the necessary two-thirds vote has been lacking.

As all of our studies have led to the seclusion that this site is the best location for the school and as a majority of those expressing themselves have agreed, it is my strong conviction that the School Committee should continue to present this site, and this site only, to the voters for their further consideration. If the question is presented to the Annual Town Meeting, I urge that as many voters as possible be present and voting. The purchase of a site is not a vote to build, and the land in question, if improved, would improve the Office Building site and provide a suitable athletic field for the present High School.

I trust that the School Committee will give favorable consideration:

1. To the inclusion in the Department Budget of a larger amount for general repairs or a Town Meeting article for a special appropriation for an oil burner and major painting projects.
2. To an article providing for the purchase of additional Bonds from free cash to be used at a later date for school house construction.

The Town Library and Highway Department have had

frequent opportunity to be helpful to the School Department and all Town Departments have cooperated splendidly. To them, to you, and to our many helpful citizens I extend the thanks of the pupils and the School Department staff.

Respectfully submitted,

MILTON E. EARLE,

Superintendent

WESTPORT TEACHERS — DECEMBER 31, 1947

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Teaching Address</i>	<i>Preparation</i>	<i>Appointed</i>
High Grades 9 - 12	Milton E. Earle, Ph. B. Acting Principal	Westport Point	Brown University—1923	Sept. 1923
	Harold S. Wood, B. S. Vice-Principal Mathematics, Science	Main Rd. Westport	Massachusetts State College—1934	Sept. 1935
	Lillian C. Cahoon, B. S. Household Arts	North Westport	State Teachers College Framingham—1935	Sept. 1935
	Nicholas Cariglia, Ph. B. Social Studies	Kickemuit Rd., Warren, R. I.	Providence College —1942	Dec. 1947
	Henry Holz, B. S. Agriculture, Science	Westport Point	Massachusetts State College—1932	Sept. 1947
	E. Phyllis McGorty, B. S. Commercial Studies	Main Rd. Westport	State Teachers College Salem—1945	Sept. 1945
	Ella B. Philpot, A. B. English, Latin	Westport Point	Bates College —1935	Sept. 1947
	Clayton E. Sisson Agricultural Shop	202 Park St. New Bedford	New Bedford Vocational School	Sept. 1945
	Helen Tripp, B. S. English, French	Westport Point	University of Paris Boston University—1941	Jan. 1947
Factory Grades 7, 8	Sydney G. Pierce, B. S. Supervising Principal	Old County Rd. Westport	State Teachers College Hyannis—1940	Sept. 1940
	Dorothy Smith (Mrs.) Vice-Principal	South Westport	State Normal School Fitchburg—1926	Sept. 1942
	Anna Sullivan, B. S.	863 Plymouth Ave. Fall River	Boston University —1932	Sept. 1933

	Anna C. Paoli, B. S.	Old County Rd. Westport	State Teachers College Salem—1944	Sept. 1944
	Dorothy M. Boerner, B. S.	Highland Ave., Westport	State Teachers College Worcester—1947	Sept. 1947
Head	Hazel A. Tripp	Old County Rd. Westport	State Normal School Fitchburg—1925	Sept. 1925
Pre-Primary	Principal, Grades 5, 6	Drift Rd.	Boston Teachers College —1922	Sept. 1943
Grades 1 - 6	Isabelle Sandberg (Mrs.) Grades 3, 4	Westport	Perry Kindergarten Normal—1930	Mar. 1946
	Grace Connor (Mrs.) Pre-Primary Grades 1, 2	57 Horton St. Fall River		
Greenwood Park	Sydney G. Pierce, B. S.	Old County Rd. Westport	State Teachers College Hyannis—1940	Sept. 1940
Pre-Primary	Supervising Principal	37 Bright St.	State Normal School Fitchburg—1928	Sept. 1929
Grades 1 - 6	Irene Boodry Vice-Principal Grades 1, 2	Fall River		
	Mary L. O'Neil Grade 6	264 French St. Fall River	State Normal School Bridgewater—1927	Sept. 1929
	Marion S. Reed (Mrs.) Grades 4, 5	North Westport	Rhode Island College of Education	Sept. 1923
	Elizabeth Gifford Grades 3, 4	Old County Rd. Westport	North Adams Extension University Extension	Oct. 1919
	Margaret Kelliher (Mrs.) Pre-Primary, Grade 1	270 Ridge St. Fall River	Perry Normal School —1932	Sept. 1945
	Kate Tallman (Mrs.) Special Class	Drift Rd. Westport	New Bedford Normal School—1900	Sept. 1921

<i>School</i>	<i>Teacher</i>	<i>Teaching Address</i>	<i>Preparation</i>	<i>Appointed</i>
Booth's Corner Grades 5, 6	Mary Kelly (Mrs.) Principal, Grade 5	Main Rd. Westport	State Normal School Fitchburg—1928	Sept. 1945
	E. May Waite (Mrs.) Grade 6	Division Rd. Westport	State Normal School Hyannis—1922 Graduate Work	Sept. 1945
North Westport Pre-Primary Grades 1-4	Kathryn I. Dailey Principal, Grades 3, 4	210 Fourth St. Fall River	Neil Kindergarten Normal—1922	Oct. 1923
	Hattie Norton (Mrs.) Pre-Primary, Grades 1, 2	North Westport	State Normal School Hyannis—1928	Sept. 1943
Brownell's Corner Pre-Primary Grades 1-4	Irene Caswell (Mrs.) Principal, Grades 3, 4	62 Barnaby St. Fall River	State Normal School Fitchburg—1930	Sept. 1946
	Mary E. Hurley (Mrs.) Pre-Primary, Grades 1, 2	122 Whipple St. Fall River	State Normal School Hyannis—1930	Sept. 1946
Point Pre-Primary Grades 1-4	Charlotte V. Madeiros Principal Pre-Primary, Grades 1, 2	Westport Point	State Normal School Hyannis—1920	Sept. 1924
	Edna Branch (Mrs.) Grades 3, 4	Westport Harbor	State Normal School Bridgewater—1926	Sept. 1947
Orchestra Director	Frank P. Gonsalves	562 Dartmouth St. So. Dartmouth		Sept. 1946
High School Glee Club	Wordell, Dorothy (Mrs.), Mus. B.	193 Winter St., Fall River	Boston University College of Music—1935	April 1947
Elementary Supervisor	Audrey L. Tripp, B. S.	Reed Rd. Westport	State Teachers College Bridgewater—1935	Sept. 1935

JANITORS				TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTORS	
High	John Bowman	Central Village	Tel. 93-2	John Costa	Tel. 85-23
Head	Charles Battey	Westport	Tel. 15-23	George Greenwood	Tel. 122-23
Factory	*Peter Pelletier	Westport Factory	Tel. 142-21	Frank Motta	Tel. 41-21
	Frank Harrop, Sr.	Reed Road	Tel. 46-4	Andrew Perry	Tel. 219
Greenwood Park	George Gagne	North Westport	—	Frank Perry	Tel. 219
North Westport	Alexander Michaud	North Westport	—	Alton Wood	Tel. 234-4
Brownell's Corner	Arthur Reynolds	Old County Rd.	Tel. 58-5		
Booth's Corner	James Woodcock	Main Rd.	—		
Point	*Harry Parker	Westport Point	—		
	Howard Church	Drift Road	Tel. 73-2		

*Leave of absence

WESTPORT SCHOOL CENSUS, OCTOBER 1, 1947

Males from 5 to 7	73	
Females from 5 to 7	97	
	—	170
Males from 7 to 16	345	
Females from 7 to 16	329	
	—	674
Males from 16 to 21	235	
Females from 16 to 21	192	
	—	427
		—
Total Number (from 5 to 21)		1,271

EMPLOYMENT AND EDUCATIONAL CERTIFICATES ISSUED DURING THE YEAR 1947

Employment Permits Issued	22	
Individuals Receiving Permits		20
Educational Certificates (Regular) Issued	171	
Individuals Receiving Certificates		126
Educational Certificates (Illiterate) Issued	32	
Individuals Receiving Certificates		16
	—	—
Totals	225	162

ENROLLMENT, OCTOBER 1, 1947

High School:

Post Graduate	1
Twelfth Year	26
Eleventh Year	30
Tenth Year	44
Ninth Year	39
	140

Elementary Schools:

	Pre-Prim.	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	Ung.	Sp.
Factory							65	51	6	122	
Booth's											
Corner					20	23			6	49	
Greenwood	21	19	22	19	15	26	34		17	9	182
Head	8	8	14	10	16	18	15		7	96	
North											
Westport	8	4	13	13	15				3	56	
Brownell's											
Corner	8	10	7	11	11					47	
Point	17	5	12	16	16					66	618
Totals	62	46	68	69	73	64	72	65	51	39	758

CLASSIFICATION OF PUPILS BY AGE AND GRADE October 1, 1947

BOYS

Grade	Age																	Totals
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
PP	7	15	2															24
1	1	7	16	6														30
2		8	19	11	4													42
3			2	23	10	4												39
4				5	22	6	1	1										35
5					4	21	6	3										34
6						4	6	10	7	3								30
7							5	12	11	6								34
8								4	4	6	2							16
9									6	7	8	1						22
10										4	6	2						12
11											2	9	4	1				16
12												1	6	1				8
PG																	1	1
Ungraded					8	3	4	4	7	1	2							29
Special					2		1	1		2	1							7
Totals	8	30	39	45	50	38	23	35	35	29	21	13	10	2			1	379

GIRLS

Grade	Age																	Totals
	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
PP	10	28																38
1		3	7	6														16
2			11	11	4													26
3			2	20	6	2												30
4				3	23	11		1										38
5					1	10	10	9										30
6						7	16	9	9	1								42
7							4	11	8	6	2							31
8								4	11	8	10	2						35
9									3	7	7							17
10										2	20	10						32
11											2	10	1	1				14
12												4	13	1				18
PG																		0
Ungraded							3	1	4		2							10
Special								1	1									2
Totals	10	31	20	40	34	30	33	36	36	24	43	26	14	2				379
TOTALS	18	61	59	85	84	68	56	71	71	53	64	39	24	4			1	758

WESTPORT HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES
OF 1947

Elizabeth Acheson	Priscilla Perry
Muriel Collins	Walter Pietrzyk
Adelaide Costa	Leonora Rezendes
Gertrude Feio	Marguerite St. Martin
Allen J. French	Quentin Sanford
Richard Gifford	Leona Sequeira
Walter Grundy	David G. Smith
Charles Hasson	Gerald Souza
Ruth G. Hebert	Marion B. Souza
Albert E. Lees, Jr.	Ulysses Souza
Rita Massey	Joseph Swainamer
Agnes Oliveira	Olive C. Tripp
Kathryn Perry	C. Russell Whalon

Myrtle I. Wood

Diploma awarded on the basis of his High School work
and training received in the military service of the United
States, to:

Francisco Souza, Jr.